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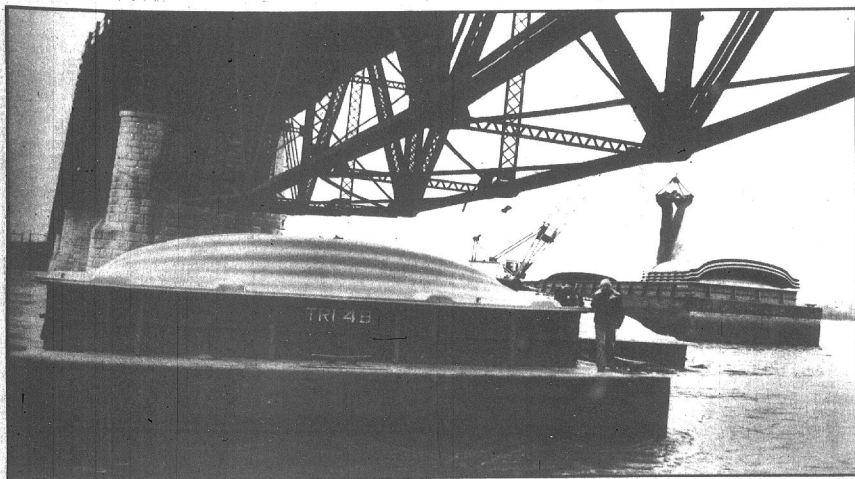
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RUNAWAY BARGES. Grain is unloaded from a damaged barge, one of two which broke loose from their tow early Monday morning and came to rest against the eastern-most

pier of the McKinley Bridge. Three other barges which broke loose floated downstream past the bridge.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Barges strike Venice bridge

By PATRICK FOLEY
of the Press-Record

At least one barge loaded with grain was heavily damaged early Monday when it and four other barges broke loose from a river tow at the Merchants Bridge. Some of the damage to the barge occurred when it and one other barge came to rest against the eastern-most pier of the McKinley Bridge in Venice.

According to Commander James Curd, U.S. Coast Guard captain of the Port of St. Louis, the pilot of the the river tow Mary Burke apparently was met with a fast river current as he exited the southern end of the Chain of Rocks Canal. The commander said the pilot had apparently lost control of the tow while going under the Merchants Bridge.

COAST GUARD personnel reported scrape marks on one of the piers of the Merchants Bridge.

Three of the barges that broke loose floated downstream and struck the McKinley Bridge without incident, but the other two came to rest near the eastern bank of the river with at least one of the barges striking the bridge pier, according to the

Coast Guard report.

The tow involved in the incident is owned by LLD Towing, Harvey, La. RIVERWAYS, INC., a floating and repair service near the Port of St. Louis, rounded up the runaway barges Monday morning and transported them to the floating area of the Port of St. Louis. Riverways also began the 10-hour cleanup operation of the other two barges.

This included the partial unloading of the grain on the damaged barge, which had sunk several feet. After enough of the grain was removed from the barge, the two barges also were moved to the Riverways docks.

The Coast Guard commander said that the barges and cleanup operations had no effect on river traffic since the two barges were not in the navigational channel. He said that the barges were moved from the bridge area by 1 a.m. Tuesday.

JOE BROOKS, resident engineer for the city of Venice, owner of the McKinley Bridge, said Monday afternoon there was no apparent damage to the bridge, but further investigation would be necessary.

Highway tax is rescinded

By JIM WOODCOCK

A recently-approved controversial 2½-cent increase in the Madison County highway tax levy was eliminated Wednesday when it was found to have been invalidly enacted.

Assistant State's Attorney Marshall "Zeke" Smith said a motion made at the Nov. 16 board meeting to raise the highway tax by 2½ cents was invalid because it was made after the county board had already approved the 1984 tax levy for the county.

SMITH, speaking at a special Madison County board meeting Wednesday, said there was no need for the board to vote on the elimination of the 2½-cent increase because it "legally will not and cannot go into effect."

Ironically, county board member William Haine, Alton, was unsuccessful a short time earlier in Wednesday's meeting in his attempt to call for a vote to rescind the highway tax. Smith said that Haine was out of

order because his request was not in line with county board procedures. Immediately afterward, however, Haine claimed that the tax was passed illegally in the first place, a fact which Smith said he reluctantly agreed with.

THE COUNTY highway tax levy will now remain at 7.5 cents per \$100 assessed valuation. The 1984 county highway fund budget was reduced by \$364,230 to its original proposed budget of \$1 million.

County taxpayers will now pay about 12½ cents per \$100 assessed valuation in 1984—still an increase over last year, but not as drastic as the approximate 20 percent increase some county officials predicted in November.

Haine said last week that he wanted to rescind the 2½-cent increase in the highway tax levy, as well as a slight portion of the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund tax levy (which is set by the state).

HAINE SAID he found out early this week that "it wasn't wise" to try

rescinding the IMRF tax by about 1½ cents against the state's wishes. However, after doing some research on the highway department's financial condition, Haine wanted his colleagues to reconsider their vote on the increase.

"First and foremost, I am a servant to my voters," Haine said. "I indicated that whatever the merits were of the increase, they were not for it."

At the Nov. 16 county board meeting, William Webb, Granite City, had made the motion to increase the highway levy by 2½ cents.

HOWEVER, Webb made his motion following the board's approval of the both the 1984 county budget and the county's tax levy for next year.

State's Attorney Don Weber, substituting for Smith at that meeting, had said Webb's motion was still valid.

After a heated discussion on the pros and cons of the increase, (Continued on Page 3)



Energy assistance offered the poor

Quad-City area residents whose home energy has been disconnected for inability to pay heating bills may now apply for home energy assistance at one of five new area intake sites.

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs has stripped the Madison County Economic Opportunities Commission (EOC) of the Illinois Home Energy Assistance Program (IHEAP) because of alleged ir-

regularities, including failure to remit money from the DCCA for heating aid directly to the power companies, for which the checks were intended. An audit of EOC funds is expected to be made public within a week.

APPLICATIONS for home energy assistance are accepted now only from homeowners and renters whose energy already has been (Continued on Page 3)

Arbitration request tabled

By JIM WOODCOCK

The Madison County Board Wednesday rejected binding arbitration in the contract dispute with sheriff's deputies. Both sides now appear to be settling in for a long siege.

It, Conrad "Pete" Baetz, spokesman for the sheriff's deputies, later blasted county board members for avoiding arbitration.

"You're going to see us do something here pretty soon," Baetz said, "because our people are rapidly running out of patience."

SEVERAL COUNTY board members told reporters that the entire board is united in turning down the binding arbitration proposal from the sheriff's deputies. The meeting, a special session, was closed to the public.

About 100 sheriff's deputies and jail personnel, members of

Operating Engineers Local 520c, have been working without a contract since their most recent pact expired Nov. 1.

The union supposedly isn't asking for a wage increase. It is asking the county to pay about \$30,000 to keep insurance benefits at current levels.

The county claims that such a request cannot be met in a \$44.8 million budget for 1984, which includes freezes for most county departments.

SINCE OCTOBER, the union has swiftly turned down several offers from the county. In the meantime, off-duty deputies have walked in informational picket lines at the courthouse to demonstrate their displeasure with the county board.

Deputies gave each county board member a letter last Wednesday's special meeting. The letter

said that the deputies "believe it is necessary to obtain the assistance of a disinterested third party to settle this matter."

Several county board members said the entire board is "totally opposed" to such an arrangement.

"WE ARE elected officials and we wouldn't be doing our job if we let just one person come in and work this thing out with the union," one board member told a reporter. "The county board is not going to give in."

According to another board member, a remark was made in the closed session to the effect that the deputies "can just keep standing out there (on the picket line) until it snows." (That remark reportedly received verbal support from board members.)

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COLD AND WET

Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers tonight and a low in the mid 30s. Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of rain Friday with a high in the upper 30s. Partly cloudy during the weekend with highs in the 40s and lows in the mid 20s to mid 30s. Chance of rain Monday with a high in the 40s and a low in the upper 20s to lower 30s.

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Officials react to use of culvert pipe

By PAT HAY LUTZ
for the Press-Record

A Nov. 23 Press-Record photo showing Nankook Township Highway Commissioner Frank Mehelec's road crew installing 50 feet of pipe on personal property prompted several angry citizens to attend the regular town board meeting on Monday.

Trustee Lee Adams brought the article before the board, requesting information from Supervisor Harry Briggs. "Those men were pulled off this," Adams said. "I want to know if he's going to pay for that pipe and

the rock that was used to put it in."

BRIGGS STATED that he was "disgusted" and that Mehelec would have to replace the materials, which the supervisor contends were funded by Community Development. He said, however, that the board has no control over Mehelec's actions as far as reimbursing the township for labor and gasoline costs. Agreeing that the taxpayers should not have to pay for work done on personal property, he said, "It's very wrong, I know, but we have no control over him."

Addressing Adams' contention (Continued on Page 6)

Campaign needs boost

The annual Tree of Lights campaign to provide Christmastime cheer is making progress here but needs a boost, officials report. Of the \$25,000 goal, \$5,950 or 17 percent has been attained.



Contribution checks may be sent to the Salvation Army Tree of Lights, P.O. Box 338, Granite City 62040.

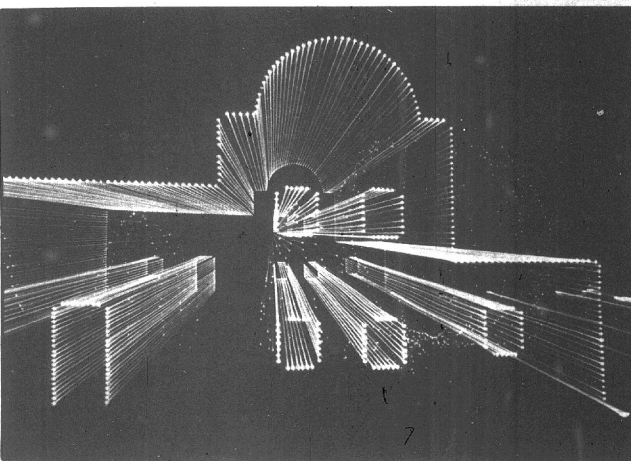
Monetary gifts also may be placed in Tree of Lights collection kettles manned by volunteer bell-ringers in the Quad-City area.

Among those helping ring holiday bells will be Granite City Rotarians on Dec. 9 and members of the Tri-City Shrine Club on Dec. 17.

Dr. Frank Gornick, provost of the Granite City Center of College District 322, is general chairman of the 1983 Tree of Lights drive. The Rev. Louis Frick, Niedringhaus United Methodist Church pastor, is chairman of the Salvation Army advisory board.

Due to unemployment, the need for food and other Christmas gifts is described as especially large this year.

Many local individuals, families, churches and organizations give canned goods as well as money to help assure that the Christmas season is brightened for all deserving families.



ANNUAL ATTRACTION. The National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows in Belleville is once again presenting the "Way of Lights" during this Christmas season. The spectacular display of more than 125,000 lights on the shrine grounds includes animal and human figures in addition to the town of Bethlehem, the birthplace of Jesus, a portion of which is seen in this special-effect photo taken last night.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Railroad company to give \$1 million to research project

Norfolk Southern Corporation, parent company of Norfolk and Western and Southern Railway companies, recently announced an agreement with the General Electric Company under which Norfolk

Southern will provide \$1 million in financial support of an on-going General Electric research project directed toward developing a coal-burning locomotive.

As part of the agreement, Norfolk Southern will acquire 26 General Electric high-performance diesel locomotives to be delivered in the second and fourth quarters of 1984. Fourteen of the new diesel units will be prototypes of the most advanced locomotive being built by GE and include on-board microcomputer control systems. These six-axle locomotives are rated at 3,900 horsepower and will be the most powerful

in the Norfolk Southern fleet. The other 12 units are GE's current C36-7 models, which are six-axle locomotives rated at 3,600 horsepower.

Norfolk Southern's chairman and chief executive officer, Robert B. Claytor, indicated that the primary thrust of the research work will be to identify the type of coal-burning locomotive having the highest probability of technical and economic success. "Without trying to predict the outcome of this study, one likely result could well be development of a coal-burning gas-turbine locomotive within the next four or five years."

turbine locomotive of the same period to be technically feasible but economically unjustified.

"It is time to try again to reestablish coal as the primary locomotive fuel on American railroads," Claytor said. "This would help our coal industry and assist our nation by improving our balance of payments and lessening our dependence on foreign oil. We are convinced that the chances of success are substantially better now than they were in the 1950s."

ALLEGED BATTERY

Thomas L. Hogue, 26, of 912 Niedringhaus Ave., was charged with battery following an incident in which Mike Demaree, 1155 Wanda Court, reported being struck while watching a movie last week at Sammy's Tavern, 921 Niedringhaus Ave. Demaree suffered a cut on his forehead and an injury to his mouth. He went to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment.

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What parents can do about children's nuclear war fears

When do children begin to feel the threat of nuclear war that hangs over humanity today? Can parents shield their children against such fears? Should they?

How can parents help young children and teenagers deal more effectively with emotions centered on the nuclear war threat? And at what age should children be allowed to view nuclear doomsday films like the new Paramount film "Testament" and the ABC television feature "The Day After"? The latter was broadcast Nov. 20.

These are a few of the myriad questions being asked of psychologists and other behavioral scientists who have been studying the impact of nuclear war threats on children and adolescents for several decades and most intensively in the past five or six years. Although research findings are still fragmentary and tentative, some points stand out.

Children know more about the nuclear war threat than most adults realize. At four to six years of age, children can get very frightened at what they see and hear on the news, without really comprehending it, according to Rutgers University psychologist Milton Schwebel, Ph.D., who has been studying nuclear fears since the early 1960s.

Many children believe misinformation that can only be corrected if parents discuss matters with them. For example, some children believe all wars are nuclear wars. Others believe their neighbors control the triggers.

Fears are intensified when adults back away from discussing the topic with children.

Many American families ban all painful topics from family conversation.

Such "mutual protection strategies" reap high costs in terms of intensified children's despair and negativity, and they also lead children to distrust adults, according to a major article on nuclear fears which will appear in a forthcoming issue of the American Psychological Association magazine "Psychology Today."

Denial or lecturing by parents are not effective responses when children express fears, according to behavioral scientists interviewed by "Psychology Today." Caring responses that reflect parents' feelings are not likely to help.

Parental discretion and control over what children should see on television is of great importance, according to psychologist Dorothy G. Singer, Ed.D., co-director of the Family Television Research and Consultation Center at Yale University. For programs like "The Day After," parents should be at their side to help sort out information and feelings and give reassurance, Dr. Singer says.

Age and maturity are key elements in determining what children should view. Dr. Singer says pre-school children should not have seen "The Day After," but parents could use discretion in deciding whether their elementary school children should watch it.

His advice prior to the show was: "If you decide to let them see it, be sure you are there with your children to mediate, explain and discuss the film. Be there to help your children deal with their emotions."

Age 12 has been suggested by many child specialists as minimum age for seeing such films, but such generalities can be treacherous, clinical psychologist Bernice Zahn,

Ph.D. of Sherman Oaks, California, points out.

Dr. Zahn was a leading voice in the recent American Psychological Association convention sessions on children and the nuclear threat.

If you prohibit a bright, curious child of nine from viewing such a film, the history of the unknown may generate more problems than would come from the child's seeing the film with parents, Dr. Zahn notes.

Dr. Schwebel has found that age-related developmental stages are crucial in how children comprehend information about the nuclear threat. Children four to six years old can be frightened without really comprehending what they see.

At 10 or 11, they begin to understand both the nuclear danger and fact that people are doing something about it. Between these two age groups, there is a difficult stage when children are aware of something that can kill people and also hear that people can do something about it, but they do not usually connect those two things, Dr. Schwebel says.

Very young children need to be reassured and told not to worry, because they can't deal with the problem at their age, Dr. Schwebel adds. But from third or fourth grade on, accurate information is important.

Adolescents find most reassurance in being told that parents also feel afraid but not helpless. Parents can tell their children what they do to cope with the threat, and what they are doing to help avert war.

In the "Psychology Today" article, author Marcia Yudman reports that psychologists and educators also make other suggestions to parents, including:

-Find out what your children know and are feeling, and make sure their information is not confused.

-With teenagers, develop trust by getting in touch with your own fears and sharing them.

-See what you can do to help prevent nuclear war, and discuss those activities with your children. Tell your children what they can do to help prevent nuclear war.

-Expose your children to a rich life of love and spirituality, and give them hope. Hope is crucial.

Ayers will lead '92 world's fair

A 1992 World's Fair Authority was formally created last week when Governor James R. Thompson signed legislation forming a 27-member rule-making body and providing nearly \$2 million in preliminary organization funds.

Many people worked diligently to convince officials at the Bureau of International Expositions that Chicago would be an excellent choice for a 1992 exposition. This law is the first step toward reaching that goal. The people who will serve are dedicated to making Chicago a showcase for the world," he said in approving the measure.

Thompson and Chicago Mayor Harold Washington last week announced their selections for the panel. House Bill 2313 gives the governor and the mayor 13 appointments each and they have agreed that former Commonwealth Edison Co. Chairman Thomas Ayers will serve as chairman.

Frank Considine, chairman of National Can Corp., was named deputy chairman by Thompson and Washington.

The bill creates a one percent tax on gross receipts of hotels in Cook County. That levy will expire July 1, 1984, and will generate about \$2 million to defray early administrative costs.

The bill requires the Fair Authority to reach agreement with the city and the state by April 30, 1984, to determine obligations, costs, residual benefit arrangements and other responsibilities. In addition, the bill gives the Authority power to adopt a budget.

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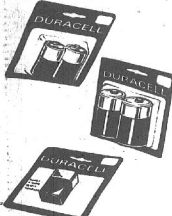
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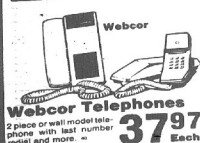


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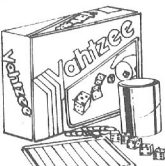


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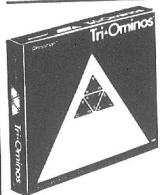


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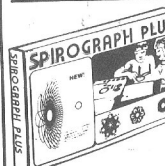
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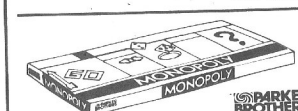
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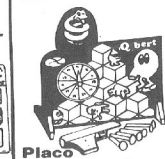
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Arbitration

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board's negotiating committee, Herbert "Junior" Milton of Granite City, said no new negotiations have been scheduled.

Milton said that, although previous negotiations have only widened the gap between the two sides, the county "will come down to some kind of agreement with them somewhere down the line."

BAETZ is charging the county board with being afraid of losing should there be binding arbitration. "They must be very unsure of their position against us," Baetz said. "If they think they can't convince an arbitrator, then they can't convince the public either that they are right."

"They will be the first ones to admit that we're in a definite stalemate. We certainly would have accepted the decision of an arbitrator,

but it's apparent that they don't want to act responsibly to decide this. They use a lot of words and say nothing."

IT IS AGAINST the law for deputies to strike, but Baetz mentioned the topic to a reporter.

"It was illegal for teachers to strike (in St. Louis) and you saw how many of them showed up to work," Baetz said. "I'm not saying that we would, and I'm not advocating it, but desperate people do desperate things."

Baetz denied speculation that the union actually wants more from the county than to keep its insurance benefits at current levels.

He also said, "The longer this goes on is going to have some effect on the way we ratify any contract coming up in the future."



BRIGHTER HOLIDAY for hundreds of Quad-City families is the goal of the 1983 Tree of Lights campaign which was launched in late November at this luncheon. Presenting the challenge to the drive chairman, Granite City Center Provost Frank Gornick, is the Rev. Louis Frick, head of the Salvation Army advisory board. Left to right are: Capt. Linda Poling; Dr. Gornick's wife, Gloria; Dr. Gornick, and Rev. Frick. Not shown is Capt. Poling's husband, Capt. Levern Poling. Christmas cheer contributions are being placed in Tree of Lights kettles and are being mailed to: Salvation Army Tree of Lights, P.O. Box 338, Granite City, Ill. 62040.

(Press-Record Photo by Bill Winter)

THREE ARRESTED AFTER**EARLY MORNING DISPUTE**

Karen J. Paschedag, 22, of 2222 Enzies St., Craig S. Vliet, 22, of 1945 Spruce St., and Danny R. Selph, 24, of Collinsville Route Three were charged with disorderly conduct at 2:20 a.m. Monday on complaints signed by Cindy Selph, 2433 Delmar Ave. Each posted \$52 bail.

She alleged that four persons entered her residence in the early morning while the occupants were asleep, and one of the four left before police arrived. Officers said they found seven persons "fighting and yelling" in front of the home. Danny Selph suffered cuts about the right side of the face.

disconnected. After Jan. 1, 1984, the program will be opened to all income-eligible families.

Low income persons currently without heat may contact one of five locations: Coordinated Youth Services, 12544 Niedringhaus Ave., telephone 876-2383 or 432-1380; Coordinated Youth Services, 3910 Highway 111, Pontoon Beach, telephone 931-2700; the Madison County Urban League, Inc., 306 Broadway, Venice, 451-9518; the Madison County Urban League, Inc., 210 William St., Alton, telephone 1-463-1906, and after Dec. 5, applications will be accepted by the Edwardsville Township Office, 214 St. Louis St., Edwardsville, telephone 1-456-0252.

Eligibility is based on the number of family members and their combined annual income. Persons at the application centers will assist persons in determining if they are eligible. Assistance grants are available either in the form of direct payments

to the applicant or to the appropriate utility.

SEVERAL AGENCIES have applied to the DCCA to become the permanent administrator of the home energy assistance program, since the program was taken from the EOC. The agencies named above were picked by the DCCA as temporary providers of the service until a permanent agency or agencies are selected.

A public hearing on agencies which have submitted proposals to be named the permanent IHCAEP administrator for Madison County was conducted Tuesday evening at the Holiday Inn in Alton. Representatives of the agencies explained their proposals at that meeting.

A DCCA spokesman said temporary agencies were selected to administer the program now, "to ensure that residents are not without access to the aid during the early winter months."

Highway tax

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Webb's motion had been approved 17-11.

But Smith, normally the counsel to the county board, said Wednesday that Webb's motion was invalid, thus eliminating the increase.

SMITH SAID the motion was "technically wrong," and predicted that there would be a tax protest if the increase went through. Haine said Wednesday that Robert's Rules of Order also prohibited Webb's motion from being considered legitimate.

Webb did not agree. "Robert's Rules of Order was never intended to stand in line of getting the job done," he said.

"I haven't changed my mind," Webb said. "Mr. Haine is probably right, but I have no choice now."

Weber told reporters that he has no problems with Smith's legal interpretation of the matter.

"I can try a murder case as well as anyone in the county, but when it comes to tax levies, that's for Zerk," Weber said. "That's why he's there."

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First Granite Bancorp. proposes 4-1 stock split

Shareholders of First Granite Bancorporation, Inc., will hold a special meeting Dec. 20 at the First Granite City National Bank to consider splitting the outstanding shares of common stock on the basis of four shares for one share.

Par value of the common stock is to change from \$10 to \$2.50 per share and the number of authorized shares is to rise from 500,000 to 1,500,000. Those owning shares at the close of business on Nov. 18 are eligible to vote at the meeting.

President Melvin C. Wilmmsmeyer has commented to shareholders that the price for each share has risen from \$33 to \$42 in the past ten months.

"The company is considering a capital raising program but no final decision has been made at this time. In addition, we are presently evaluating potential acquisition candidates, although no agreements or active negotiations have begun regarding any particular financial institution," Wilmmsmeyer said.

"The board of directors believes that, in conjunction with its planning for the future, a split of the common stock is in the best interest of both the company and its shareholders."

"Such a split would result in an increased number of outstanding shares of the company's stock and a proportionally lower per-share price. The board anticipates this would increase the interest of individual investors, thereby creating

a broader, more liquid market for the stock."

The 4-1 split would result in no change in the relative rights and interests of present shareholders, since each would receive additional shares in direct proportion to current holdings.

The number of outstanding shares would grow from 132,000 to 528,000. The remaining 972,000 shares could be offered in the future to raise capital or could be issued in acquisitions.

Directors of the corporation are Chairman S. E. Pershall Jr., Pres. Wilmmsmeyer, John W. Reese, Dr. George T. Wilkins Jr., Joseph Glik and Thomas E. Holloway.



Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lasar, 2913 Edgewood Ave., Nov. 29, Samantha Jo, 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hufstetler, 1709 Delmar Ave., Nov. 30, Kimberly Ann, 4 pounds, 10 ounces.

BOYS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Langley Jr., 2203 Bryan Ave., Nov. 30, Jerry Dean III, 8 pounds, 10 ounces.

Graveside services

for Mrs. Clara Ulm

The Rev. Louis Frick conducted graveside services at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township, for Mrs. Clara Ulm, 81, of Stevensville, Mont., formerly of Granite City.

She died at 12:05 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 27, 1983, at St. Patrick Hospital in Missoula, Mont.

Survivors include a son; two daughters; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Local arrangements were by Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave.

Funeral services for

Elma Williamson, 72

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., for Elma Williamson, 72, of 2001 Myrtle Ave.

He died at his home at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 27, 1983.

Survivors include two sons; one daughter; a brother; 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

23 CANNABIS CIGARETTES

Police alleged finding 23 cannabis cigarettes and a bag of 15 grams of cannabis at 5:15 p.m. Tuesday in the purse of a girl, 16 years old, at W. 23rd Street and Illinois Avenue. The items were confiscated and she was released to her mother pending a hearing.

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Double standard on borders' sacredness

To the Editor:

In the outpouring of Soviet venom after the shooting down of the South Korean civilian airplane, one theme kept returning with insistent regularity. High Soviet officials repeatedly told the world that Soviet national borders were sacred.

Leonid Zamyatin, for instance, told reporters that many millions had died to uphold Soviet borders in World War II. The theme found a ready echo in the press—here again were the patriotic Russians ready to pounce on anybody who dared to infringe on the "motherland's" sacred space.

The irony of these statements did not go unnoticed among the neighbors of the USSR.

The former permanent head of the Swedish Foreign Ministry, Lief Leifland, now Swedish ambassador to London, said, "The Soviets claim the right to violate Swedish territorial waters, but they say that if anyone violates their own sacred airspace, he must take the consequences."

Moscow's rhapsodies about its sacred borders must have sounded even more hollow to the Poles, Czechs, Slovaks, Hungarians, Romanians and other East-Central Europeans whose borders were "adjusted" by the Kremlin after Soviet armies had poured across them and enclosed these countries in the Soviet domain.

What about the people of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia? The Soviet army outrightly violated their borders in 1940, only 20 years after Moscow had solemnly pledged to respect their sovereignty and had renounced for all time any claims to their territories. The Balts, who were forcibly incorporated into the USSR, must have found the talk of Soviet borders utterly ludicrous.

It is also inaccurate to speak of the "national" borders of the Soviet Union. These borders, as they exist today, are a result of a centuries-long imperial conquest.

The Czechs annexed the Ukraine, Georgia, Armenia and many other

non-Russia territories as they expanded deeply into Asia, partly at China's expense. The Soviets kept the Czarist empire, reconquered parts of it, and expanded it beyond anything the Czars had ever achieved.

More recently, they showed little respect for the sacredness of Afghanistan's borders. Soviet policies of genocide and russification have far surpassed the Czarist record. The borders of the USSR are a result of aggression and oppression, activities to which the notion of sanctity is hardly applicable.

From Lenin through Brezhnev to Andropov, Soviet leaders have proclaimed themselves to be the carriers of salvation and of a new, perfect and scientific order to a corrupt world.

While the Soviet Union officially participates in the activities of the international community, as a state among states, the Soviet Communist Party, media and textbooks assert that "capitalist" states with their "capitalist" borders are "corrupt" and "reactionary" entities that will have to be transformed in the image of Muscovite "perfection."

This is not merely the Brezhnev doctrine that accords the Kremlin the right to send its armies across the borders of the East-Central European states; it is the Marxist-Leninist right and duty of the Soviet regime, as the embodiment of the "historic process" to change the political, social, economic and cultural systems—as well as the borders—of Germany and France, of Nicaragua and eventually of the United States.

So much for the sacredness of the Soviet borders. As for the "many millions" who died defending those borders, Zamyatin neglected to mention that the Soviet regime has killed or starved many more if its own innocent civilians during peacetime than the 20 million Russian victims claimed by World War II.

EDWARD RANKIN
Executive Director,
Americanism Educational League

Opposes NOW stand on the abortion issue

To the Editor:

This is in response to the Nov. 21 Forum letter from Liz Neely.

The National Organization for Women (NOW) is opposed to the traditional family values that made America great. This radical feminist organization is dedicated to destroying the patriarchal family by promoting lesbian rights and opposing any and all pro-life legislation while promoting abortion-on-demand.

NOW is dedicated to removing President Reagan from office in 1984, opposes voluntary prayer in public funded schools and also advocates a nuclear weapons freeze in

the United States.

These feminists are so committed to using the ERA to pass legislation for abortion-on-demand that in the state of Wisconsin, the pending ERA legislation with abortion exclusion was rejected by the feminists.

Congressman Melvin Price has a 40-year record of strong moral and pro-family votes. Congressman Price supports the Hyde Amendment because he represents the majority of the people's reverence for human life. Nobody would be so callous as to begrudge a poor pregnant mother life-saving surgery, but, it is an abomination to have taxpayer-funded abortions. A poor

mother's life is not at stake here, but the slaughter of over 1½ million fetuses each year, thousands and thousands here in Granite City abortion clinics.

The greatest need is for people to write to Congressman Melvin Price, House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510, and thank him for his support of legislation that preserves human life and liberty along with the traditional Jude-Christian Values of America.

MRS. MARY B. LEE
Concerned Women
for America
Granite City Chapter

TV show pointed out need for nuclear ban

To the Editor:

To the Press-Record readers and all other citizens of these United States.

After seeing the movie "The Day After" which aired Sunday at 7 p.m., I realized like all other people and

nations need to, there should be a ban on all nuclear weapons, and disarm all that are in working order.

That is the only way we are going to stop the horror, and the uncouth and unthinkable death toll that nuclear weapons are certain to bring.

I feel leaders of all nations should watch that movie, and then, maybe, they will realize that in a nuclear war there will be no winners, only losers.

RANDY BILDERBACK
Granite City

Supports tax credit for parochial schools

To the Editor:

President Ronald Reagan said tax credits were necessary to counter the "rising cost of education which he said deprives lower and middle-income families of the 'freedom of choice' to send their children to non-public schools."

The Senate Finance Committee approved the administration-backed

tuition tax credit bill in May. The legislation would give parents a tax credit for up to half of the tuition they pay to send their children to non-public schools. The plan would be phased in with a \$100 maximum tax break the first year, a \$200 maximum the second year, and a \$300 maximum the third year.

Tuition tax credit benefits would begin phasing out if parents had annual income of more than \$40,000 and no tax credit benefit would be available to parents with incomes higher than \$50,000. On Nov. 15, President Reagan said this bill should be passed this year because it is "simple tax equity."

BERNICE C. CRIMMINS
Madison

Feels police should show the actual radar gun readings

To the Editor:

I have been driving for 18 years and have never had a speeding ticket. I got nailed by "radar," while doing 43 mph in a 30 mph zone. I will admit to going 35, tops, but not 43. No way.

I feel there should be a law requiring the officer to show you the

reading on the speed gun. As is, the officer can make up any speed he wants.

Opponents may argue that this would take up too much time. It would take up any time at all compared to the 10 minutes it takes the officer to fill out the ticket.

SAFE DRIVER

Backs the police crackdown

To the Editor:

In response to all the letters about the police crackdown, I am tired of hearing people cry because they got caught speeding, running a stop sign, and so on. I only hope that the police keep up the good work.

As far as going out of town to shop just because you got a citation, well, that is really dumb, it will only cost you more to drive to St. Clair Square. They also give citations for running red lights.

I have seen a few young drivers, ages 16 to 20, who need to go back to driving school, but I have seen many older, who also need to go back to school and I'll bet most of them would have to take the course over.

I am also tired of trying to drive through the parking areas in the

shopping centers and not being able to get through because of all the cars parked in the firelanes and areas marked no parking.

So let's get behind our police department and thank them for the good job they are trying to do.

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To the Editor:

Granite City mourns the loss of one of its finest citizens, Anthony "Tony" Michel. He was very civic minded and had a large part in all organizations.

And to Catherine we all share in your great loss.

Ivan F. Harrison
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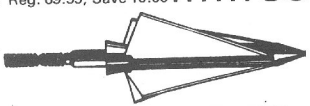
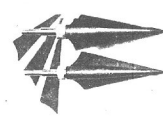
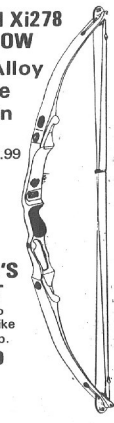
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Obituaries

Walter Cant

Walter H. Cant, 72, of Zepher Hills, Fla., died at 4:20 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1983, at Huma Hospital, Dade City, Fla. He had been ill three months and had been in the hospital two weeks.

He was born in Venice, Ill., and lived in Granite City until 1973, when he retired from the Castings Division of General Steel Industries. He had been employed there as an electrician.

Mr. Cant was a member of the Masonic Lodge 877 and Scottish Rite Bodies, East St. Louis.

Among the survivors are his wife, Aretta (Eaton) Cant; one son, Jim Cant, Edwardsville; one brother, Howard Cant, Zepher Hills, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

Visitation will be at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., after 3:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2. Services will begin at the funeral home at 11 a.m. Saturday. Burial will be in Sunset Hills Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Masonic services will begin at 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Samuel Dymas

Samuel J. "Sam" Dymas, 38, of 1720 Edwardsville Road, president of the Madison Board of Education and recreation director for the city of Madison, died early Monday morning, Nov. 28, 1983, in Mexico.

He was born in St. Louis and was a lifelong resident of Madison.

Mr. Dymas was a member of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Pamela (Schilling) Dymas; one daughter, Holly Ann Dymas, at home; a stepdaughter, Robin Schilling, Granite City; and his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Anna)

Sobolewski, Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam (Katie) Dymas.

Visitation will begin at 5 p.m. today at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home, 501 Madison Ave., Madison. The Rev. Frank Kordick will officiate at funeral services beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 3, from the funeral home to St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, 10th Street and Alton Avenue, Madison, for 9:30 a.m. mass. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Recitation of the Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Friday.

Emma Habekost



Mrs. Emma F. (Weber) Habekost, 84, of 2323 Delmar Ave., a resident of the Columbiades for seven months, died at the facility at 11:45 a.m. Monday, Nov. 28, 1983.

She was born in Pilot Knob, Mo., and resided in this area since 1911.

Mrs. Habekost was a member of Concordia Lutheran Church. Her

husband, William Habekost, died in 1983.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Fuller, Granite City; a grandson, Mark Fuller of Bellingham, Wash.; and one great-grandson.

Funeral services will begin at 1 p.m. today, Dec. 1, at Mercer Mortuary Chapel, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., with the Rev. Dave Raetz officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Memorials are requested for Concordia Lutheran Church or KFUO radio station, which broadcasts Lutheran programs.

Kathleen Lignoul

Mrs. Kathleen E. "Betty" (Clark) Lignoul, 68, of Rivers Isle, Fla., died at 11:25 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1983, at Manatee Memorial Hospital in Rivers Isle.

She was born in Carbondale, Ill., and lived in Aville prior to moving to Florida 10 years ago.

Mrs. Lignoul was a member of the Manatee United Methodist Church in Rivers Isle.

Survivors include her husband, Harry C. Lignoul; two sons, Harry L. Lignoul of Morrisville, N.J., and Richard Lignoul of Bradenton, Fla.; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be after 3 p.m. Sunday at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where Dr. Pinge will conduct funeral services at 1 p.m. Monday, Dec. 5. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road. Another funeral service was today at the Griffith-Cline Funeral Home in Bradenton, Fla.

Elizabeth Perryman

Mrs. Elizabeth E. (Huppert) Perryman, 73, of 1509 Kirkpatrick Homes, Ill. one year, died at 12:25 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1983, at St. Elizabeth Hospital West in Chesterfield, Mo. She was hospitalized two weeks.

A native of Jackson County, Ill., Mrs. Perryman lived in Murphysboro, Ill., before moving to this area 41 years ago.

Mrs. Perryman was a member of St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph K. Perryman.

Survivors include one son, Harold E. Perryman, Granite City; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Hart and Kathleen Winters, both of Granite City; and Mrs. Robert (Annarose) Myers of Alton, Ill.; two brothers, George and George Huppert; one sister, Mrs. Minnie Hubbs, all of Murphysboro; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. today at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where the Rev. Wilbur Lear will conduct funeral services at 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Memorials are requested for the Kidney Foundation.

Morris Scott Sr.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday night in Madison for Morris Scott Sr., 75, of 510 Washington Ave., Venice, a retired Venice policeman, who died at 1 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 24, 1983, at Meadowview Nursing Home in Maryville, Ill.

Born in Mississippi, Mr. Scott was a resident of the Metro-East area more than 60 years. He was a retired Venice Police Department patrolman, having served many years.

Mr. Scott was a member of the Southern Missionary Baptist Church in Madison.

Among the survivors are his wife, Mrs. Albert Scott; 10 daughters, Lillian Evans, Frances Crawford, Ruth Williams and Rosie Williams, all of Madison; Margerie Spowell, Dorothy McCee and Christine Brown, all of East St. Louis; and Patricia Collins, Kimberly Ontkewer and Cynthia Collins, all of Omaha, Neb.; two sons, Theobald Scott, Denver, Colo., and Delancy Scott, Chicago, Ill.; two sisters,

George Wicks, St. Louis and Thelda Scott, East St. Louis; 23 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Services were at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 29, at Southern Missionary Baptist Church, 921 Bissell Ave., Madison, with the Rev. William J. Wise Sr., presiding. Arrangements were made through Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis. Burial was in Sunset Garden of Memory Cemetery, Milledale, Ill.

Adele Snyder

Mrs. Adele Snyder, 83, of 2227 Benton St., was found in bed at home without signs of life at 5:35 p.m. Monday, Nov. 28, 1983, and was pronounced dead at 6:10 p.m. by William Sternberg, Madison County deputy coroner.

According to an official report, the Granite City Ambulance crew was called, as were the Granite City police, who said Mrs. Snyder apparently died of natural causes.

She was ill one year. Mrs. Snyder was born in Portsmouth, Ohio, and moved to this area 35 years ago. She was a member of St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church.

Her husband, J. F. Snyder, died Feb. 10, 1963.

Survivors include one son, Jay Snyder, Granite City, and two grandchildren, Claudia and Stephen Snyder.

The Rev. Wilbur Lear conducted funeral services at 10:30 a.m. today, Dec. 1, at Pieper Funeral Home, 1929 Cleveland Blvd., with burial in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Bertha Stanley

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday, Nov. 28, at the White-Mullen Funeral Home, Florissant, Mo., for Mrs. Bertha (Clune) Stanley, 86, formerly of 2923 W. 20th St.

She died at 10:15 p.m. Friday, Nov. 25, 1983, at the Westwind Nursing Home in Ellisville, Mo.

Born in Hutchinson, Kan., Mrs. Stanley lived in St. Louis prior to moving to this area in 1971.

She was a member of Bible Believers Baptist Church in Granite City.

Her husband, Gerald Stanley, died in 1973.

Survivors include seven children, John, Bill, and Tommy Deak, and Mary Hanes, all of St. Louis; Sybil Schueren, Margaret Hollick, and Daniel Deak, all of Granite City; one brother, Jim Clune, and a sister, Myrtle Clune, both of Kansas; two grandchildren, 33 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery, St. Louis.

Alva Thompson

Alva E. Thompson, 77, of 2233 Alexander Ave., Ill. 10 years, died at 5:50 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1983, at St. Elizabeth Memorial Center, where he was admitted two weeks ago.

He worked for the Norfolk & Western Railway for 25 years as a storehouse foreman and retired in 1971.

Mr. Thompson was born in Dover, Ohio, and lived in Cleveland, Ohio, prior to moving to this area 24 years ago. He served with the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II.

He was a member of First United Presbyterian Church in Mitchell, the American Association of Retired Persons in Granite City and a Masonic Lodge in East Cleveland, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mattie Thompson.

Survivors include two brothers, Duether Thompson, Dover, Ohio, and Ralph Thompson of Scott, Ohio; a sister, Miss Pauline Thompson of East Cleveland, Ohio, and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will begin at 7 p.m. Friday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 3. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

Irma Watson



Funeral services for Irma L. (Stephens) Watson, 78, will begin at 1 p.m. Saturday at Mercer Mortuary Chapel, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave. Visitation will be after 4 p.m. Friday with burial in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Mrs. Watson, formerly of 2409 Benton Ave., died Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 30, 1983, at Anchorage Homes. Mrs. Watson was found in bed in night attire. Madison County Deputy Coroner Dick Mizell pronounced Mrs. Watson dead approximately 12:14 p.m.

Born in Lonsak County, Ark., she lived in St. Louis before making Granite City her home for 42 years. She was employed St. Elizabeth Medical Center 10 years before retiring in 1970.

She is preceded in death by her husband, William Cleo Watson, who died in 1961.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Russell (Carolyn) Stamford of Connecticut, Mrs. Mary Jo Ellis of Bellfontaine, Mo., a son, Ralph Watson of Warren, Mo., two sisters, both of Little Rock, Ark.; Mrs. Beatrice Sugg and Mrs. Velma Carling, five brothers, Troy and John Stephens, Ernest Stephens of Little Rock, Ark., Otis Stephens of Albuquerque, N.M., and Eugene Stephens of Texas, and seven grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to St. Elizabeth Medical Center and Niedringhaus Methodist Church. The Rev. Richard Martin will officiate.

David Weil

David R. Weil, 22, of 1541 Garfield Ave., was found without signs of life at 9:30 p.m. Monday in a flooded pond on Stevenson Road in Jarvis Township near Lebanon, Ill., where he was hunting in a duck blind.

He was pronounced dead at the scene by Jim Laughlin of Troy, Ill., a Madison County deputy coroner.

Mr. Weil, who was hunting alone, apparently waded into the water to retrieve a decoy and the waders he was wearing filled with water and he could not remove the waders, the family was told. There were no signs of foul play, according to the Madison County Sheriff's Department.

A lifelong resident of Granite City, Mr. Weil graduated in 1979 from Granite City High School South, where he was active in baseball and wrestling. He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

Mr. Weil was a member of Central Christian Church. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell (Rosemarie Hurocy) Weil, Granite City; one sister, Miss Nancy Weil of Carbondale; a brother, Paul J. Weil of Granite City, and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Piroška Hurocy, Granite City.

Visitation is underway at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where the Rev. Dennis Rutledge will conduct services at 10 a.m. Friday, Dec. 2. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Officials react

(Continued from Page 1)

that the crew had been removed from the Miracle Manor drainage project to lay the pipe, Briggs stated that if the Miracle Manor project is not completed within the next two weeks, he will ask the board to contract out for the work. "They've been at it long enough," he said. "Those people deserve to have that finished."

Buddy O'Brien, foreman on the road crew, defended the workers on the crew, saying, "We don't have the proper equipment. We don't have enough manpower. Four men just can't handle it (the Miracle Manor project). We just couldn't get it done by then."

O'Brien also indicated that efforts to persuade Mehele to purchase the proper equipment for this project proved futile, and Mehele's recent layoffs in the crew has hampered work performed by the crew.

ADAMS CONTINUED his assault on Mehele, bringing forth a letter which refutes earlier statements made by the highway commissioner concerning a lawsuit filed against him. Mehele had indicated that a lawsuit by Warren and Eddie Gruggut of Nameoki Township was township business and board members paid a \$400 fee. Mehele's attorney, H. Carl Runge Jr., during the last meeting for defending Mehele.

Adams produced a letter from the town firm representing the Grugguts which states that the suit was filed against "certain persons in their individual capacities" and not concerned "matters which involves him (Mehele) personally."

ADAMS said, "I'm going to take all of this information to the proper authorities and see to it that there's a grand jury investigation. 'If the board wants to go along with me, fine. If they don't, I'm going to do it myself anyway. I am at my limit with the man. He is an embarrassment to the township and this board.'"

In a telephone interview on Wednesday, Mehele answered Adams' charges, saying, "He's my opposition, as you can plainly see. There's nothing wrong with it (defending the lawsuit with township funds), it's all there for everyone to see."

Mehele stated that the Gruggut case had been changed since the October 1981 date when the lawsuit was filed by Adams. According to Mehele, the suit was filed late last winter or early last spring to include the highway department. "I'm sure Mehele was acting in his capacity as the highway commissioner."

MEHELE also contended that he already has ordered new pipe either Friday or Monday. He still maintains that it is not necessary to remove the township's 1978 labor time used during the project, as it is standard procedure for township residents to pay for materials in personal property, but not for manpower.

"We never do that (charge for labor time), it's standard all the time," he says. "It's a policy of the highway department to allow a resident to pay for the pipe and let us do the work so that we can stand up to legal specifications," he adds.

In other business, Board Attorney Irvin C. Slate Jr. reported on a "potentially very" substantial class action suit filed by the Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation (LLAF) against 725 townships in order to establish standard and guidelines for eligibility requirements in applications for public assistance. According to Briggs, several townships have failed to follow standard procedures when granting approval for public assistance, but he says that Nameoki Township has followed legal guidelines.

"WE DON'T have anything to hide, but if this suit goes through, it's going to cost a bundle of money," Briggs stated.

The suit calls for guidelines to be determined retroactive to 1975, which would force township officials to re-evaluate assistance applications at and, since that time, to determine eligibility.

"If this goes through, we could never live with it," Briggs commented. "We'll follow our attorney's advice and fight this all the way."

Rites Wednesday for Larkin W. Conaway

Funeral rites were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, at First United Presbyterian Church, 22nd Street and Delmar Avenue, for Larkin W. Conaway, 87, of 2520 Sheridan Ave.

He died at 12:25 a.m. Monday, Nov. 28, 1983, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Survivors include his wife; three sons; one daughter; 13 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Visitation was at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave.

PUT ON 2-YEAR PROBATION
David Reeder, 17, of 807 Greenwood St., Madison, has been placed on two years of probation by Associate Judge Edward Ferguson in the Madison County Circuit Court. Reeder, charged Aug. 1 with a Wood River burglary and two counts of felony theft, submitted a guilty plea Sept. 1.

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Miss Peeples given national award

Geraldine Taylor Peeples, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor, 100 Booker St., Eagle Park Acres, was recognized for program excellence recently at the annual meeting of the National Association of Extension Home Economists in Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Peeples received the first place Public Affairs Award for her program, "Expanding Horizons in Leadership-Leadership Saginaw." R.J. Hildreth, managing director of the Farn Foundation, presented Miss Peeples with an award plaque and a \$1,000 scholarship for professional improvement and further development of the leadership program.

"Expanding Horizons in Leadership-Leadership Saginaw," provided community leadership skill development and public affairs education to more than 500 Michigan clientele in Saginaw County. Program participants were involved in four- to six-week series, as well as through community workshops on public policy issues, subject matter training sessions and leadership skill sessions. A local advisory-planning committee worked closely with Extension Home Economist to design the format and content which included effective meeting management techniques, public speaking skills in leadership roles, community resources, local decision-making and leadership skills.

Miss Peeples initiated the program, the first of its kind in her home city of Saginaw, Mich. Successful proposals to local foundation funded the programs and its growth for the past two years.

Miss Peeples conducted a workshop on her program planning, implementation and evaluation strategies for State Public Affairs chairmen at the annual NAHEC meeting in Atlanta.

Recognition for her program also was given to Miss Peeples in the form of an award certificate by her Michigan colleagues in the Michigan Association of Extension Home Economists.

Miss Peeples is a 1963 honor graduate of Venice Lincoln Technical School and a 1967 graduate in Home Economics from Illinois State University, Normal. Graduate studies have been done at Michigan State University. Her current assignment is extension agent

in family living education programs of the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service.

Miss Peeples is a senior extension home economist of a team of four family living agents and conducts

extension programs in all areas of human development, leadership development, public policy and community development education. She also writes a weekly newspaper column on leadership skills.

Niedringhaus School celebrates music

In accordance with Granite City Mayor Paul Schuler's declaration of Thursday, Nov. 18, as Erie Mills Day, all music classes at Niedringhaus Elementary School celebrated the occasion during their assigned music periods.

"This was our way of par-

ticipating in the local civic function, as well as, highlighting a musically important event," said Miss Patricia Dieneff, general music teacher at Niedringhaus School. "Although we couldn't be at city hall to celebrate, we had a wonderful occasion to learn about Miss Mills and

to share in this celebration with the rest of the musical community."

A special bulletin board for Erie Mills Day was prepared with the help of Jennifer Hagnauer of the sixth grade. All classes sang songs which Miss Mills had sung as a youngster, as well as songs from the theater and songs by the master composers.

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Kyle was charged July 6 in two counts of taking indecent liberties with a child in Granite City. He pleaded guilty Sept. 28.

Kyle surrendered July 15 to Granite City police, who had been seeking him on the warrants. Officers found him hiding in dirt in a crawl space below his home.

The indecent liberties charges stemmed from June 29 and June 30 actions involving an eight-year-old girl.

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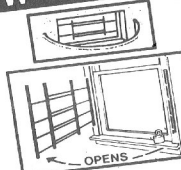
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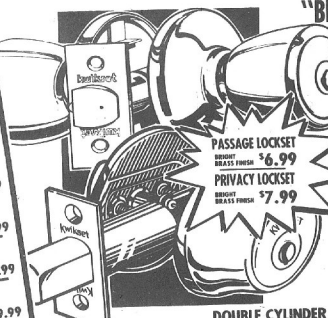
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Giggles the clown cheers up patients at SEMC

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Marilyn Kozak has once again transformed herself into Giggles the Clown.

She tops off the made-up face with an oversized, bright green afro wig, surrounds her body in a sagging pink and green outfit, wraps her monkey companion around her, and walks out of her rural Collinsville home ready for the Thursday afternoon.

Giggles and her companion, Peanut the Monkey, devote their Thursday afternoons to soliciting smiles, waves and good cheer from patients at St. Elizabeth Medical Center (SEMC).

"I feel like I'm doing something worthwhile instead of just getting old," the 55-year-old woman says about her clowning around, something in which she has seriously become involved.

Giggles spoke in a perfect, high-pitched clown-like voice. However, the unique and unusual voice is real. It's an asset to Giggles, but sometimes an embarrassment to Mrs. Kozak. "It's unique but embarrassing, because a lot of people comment 'Do you really sound like that?' Some people like it and say, 'Oh, I like your voice,' even when they don't know me. Then somebody else, especially kids, say, 'Hey, are you acting silly or what?'"

"But when I'm a clown, they couldn't care less. Hey, I just love it!"

It's fun. When you've got that face on, they don't know if you're old, young, fat, skinny; if you've got a great voice, a horrible voice. You're just somebody to smile at. And for you to smile at them makes them feel good."

Giggles and Peanut made their first appearance on the hospital floors July 14. They went to SEMC with the intention of visiting the children.

However, she soon recognized many smiles and encouraging comments coming from the older patients. Now she visits both Giggles and Peanut have become the official "Bingo prize giver-outers." Every Thursday afternoon, Bingo is conducted on the hospital's television channel. Patients wishing to play the game turn to Channel 13 and watch as members of the medical center auxiliary call out the numbers. When patients win, they call the television studio and Giggles and Peanut arrive promptly with their prize.

"It was so rewarding," she said of her first visit. "But I felt very foolish with it being 93 degrees, dressed up as a clown in my car all by myself and I thought, 'Hmmm, should I go back home or should I really do this?' Nobody likes to make a fool of himself."

"But one nice thing about being a clown, nobody knows you. So I thought, 'Nobody's going to know me anyway, so I'll go in there and do it.'"

"At first I didn't want to go and visit the older people because I didn't think I could handle that. But there weren't many children on the pediatric floor and the nurses said, 'Oh, go ahead and visit them.' So I did."

"It was so rewarding. Fantastic! They wanted me to put clown stickers on them. They were just darling. You see, you never know until you do something. I came out of there feeling so good. It just does something for your morale."

Peanut, a puppet who takes on a life of his own with Mrs. Kozak's arm discreetly manipulating him, is Giggles's support and security. She does a lot of communicating through the black, beady-eyed animal. Half of the time, the patient is watching Peanut. A mute Peanut can act shy, friendly or unwilling to travel on to the next room through the motion of Mrs. Kozak's arm and hand.

"I can communicate with them through the monkey. I talk to him. I say, 'Peanut, say hi. Don't be bashful.' I really get carried away but I don't feel silly because I have this little guy with me. They kiss him and take his hat off. He gets so much

attention and that helps me too. Oh, they love him. It works out great."

Giggles also has come to depend on a few magic tricks and a basketful of goodies to give away. She makes miniature clowns out of colorful material and clothes pins, which she leaves tied to beds of the younger patients. She also has stickers with clown faces or "Have you hugged a clown today?" on them to give away. Those are a hit with the young and old alike.

Though new to the art of clowning, she finds that people have individual ways of reacting to her. The toughest age group is the adolescents, she says.

"There was this one boy who was very hostile when I came in. He thought, 'Oh, who is this goofball?' But I showed him a magic trick and I said, 'Well, I guess you're too big for one of these little clowns, or would you like one?'"

"He said, 'I'll take one.' And I asked if he wanted me to tie it to the foot of the bed and he said, 'No.'"

"Well, then the nurse saw me on the elevator and she said, 'Hey, did you do a lot for our little friend. Since you left, he wanted to show us the magic trick and he had us tie the clown on his bed.'"

Many evenings are devoted to making clothespin clowns and learning new magic tricks. Mrs. Kozak has lots of plans for Giggles. She has sent away for clowning books. One is entitled "Fifty Ways to Make Children Laugh." And she's even joined the National Clown Club of America.

Mrs. Kozak became interested in clowning three years ago. As a member of the Elks Club in Granite City, she and other Elkettes participated in the Shriner's Parade. They dressed as clowns.

After that, she made use of her suit and a delightful toy, which was bought for her grandsons. She and the monkey began by visiting a Christmas party for underprivileged children at a school for mentally retarded kids and a few nursery schools.

WITNESS NOT A PASSENGER

In a Press-Record article that appeared on page 23 of the Nov. 28, 1983, edition, Royce Boyd was listed as being a passenger in an auto with Howard F. Jenkins. Mr. Jenkins suffered an apparent heart attack and his vehicle crashed into a parked car. The passenger should have been listed as Horace Brockman, Ferguson, Mo. Boyd witnessed the accident, but was not a passenger. The Press-Record regrets the error.



AMANDA TODD, 3 years old, receives a hug from Giggles during a tour of St. Elizabeth Medical Center's pediatric unit.

SII discusses Jefferson Expansion Memorial

Members of Southern Illinois Inc. (SII), a private-sector economic development organization which serves the southern third of Illinois, met in Belleville recently and heard a presentation by supporters of a bill to extend the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial to the Illinois side of the Mississippi.

The expansion, which ultimately hopes to encompass a major museum, water display, and large park area would be located in East St. Louis, just opposite the Gateway Arch. The bill currently is in subcommittee hearings in Washington, D.C.

Regarding the expansion, John McCarty, SII executive vice president, said, "We are happy to show our support of H.R. 2107 or any other developmental project in Southwestern Illinois which the people there feel will advance their economic well-being and that of our state."

The development program, launched throughout Southern Illinois this past summer, is being coordinated by the SII Chief Executive Council. It is an economic development action plan which ranges from recognizing older citizens' part in the economy to encouraging innovation and entrepreneurship.

Currently heading the private-sector action effort, as well as the committee on planning, zoning and other infrastructure needs, is John Gardner, publisher of the "Southern Illinoisian," newspaper in Carbondale. Gardner characterized the progress of the effort as "excellent."

Eleven separate committees have been set up to identify and investigate different areas of the memorial project. These committees include tourism facilities, transportation and labor management.

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Courts clear 4,346 cases for the month of October

The volume of pending cases in Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit (Madison and Bond counties), decreased during October by 1,173 cases and currency was lost due to a large number of traffic cases.

According to the circuit's report to the Supreme Court Administrative Office, 5,519 cases were filed and 4,346 cases were terminated during October.

In releasing the report, Willard V. "Butch" Portell, circuit clerk, noted, "Although the termination shows a loss of currency, there have been exceptional filings in traffic which are approximately 1,000 cases above normal, which causes this deficit, however, there was a tremendous gain in large law cases where 55 were filed and 86 terminated. Also in the felony division where 78 were filed and 90 terminated."

"During the last three quarters, there has been a gain in law jury of \$15,000 approximately 300 cases, which constitutes a tremendous year for the law division. All other cases are remaining stable and the backlog in all divisions is being reduced considerably."

"Chief Judge A. Andreas Mateosian and I are pleased with the report for the month of October."

Following are the numbers of each major type of case filed, terminated and pending at the end of October.

Cases	Filed	Terminated	Pending
Law cases seeking more than \$15,000			
Jury	55	86	1954
Non-jury	59	16	451
Law cases seeking \$1,000 to \$15,000			
Jury	5	18	425
Non-jury	39	33	703
Other cases			
Chancery	19	31	473
Miscellaneous Remedy	45	31	463
Eminent Domain	10	2	55
Mental Health	34	32	8
Divorce	146	115	930
Family	120	106	1912
Juvenile	47	52	268
Felony	78	90	294
Misdemeanor	323	298	3020
Small Claims	513	440	2770
Totals	1,549	1,391	13,807

In the traffic division, 5,519 new cases were filed during October and 4,346 were terminated, the report shows.

Of the 99 felony cases heard during the month, 63 were convicted of felonies, two were discharged at preliminary hearings, 15 were dismissed or consolidated and 10 were reduced to misdemeanors. Two defendants were convicted by a jury of a Class 1 felony.

Guilty pleas during October included one for murder, two for Class X felonies, six for Class One felonies, 12 for Class Two felonies, 32 for Class Three felonies and 10 for Class Four felonies. Felony sentences during the month included 27 persons sent to prison, six receiving probation with periodic imprisonment and 30 receiving probation or conditional discharges with other conditions.

3 arrested in robbery attempt

The third arrest was made early Wednesday in response to a robbery attempt occurring at 8:35 p.m. Nov. 25.

A Granite City man was seated in his auto on the Crossroads Plaza Shopping Center parking lot when two men approached, one asking what time it was.

The second man then displayed a pistol, asserting that "this is a holdup" and ordering the motorist to roll down a car window.

After a pause, the driver put the car into reverse gear and backed away, meanwhile holding the horn to attract other shoppers. He called out for someone to stop the pair, who ran north.

A man in the vicinity chased an individual he believed to be one of the suspects and, with the aid of the driver, held him against an exterior store wall until police arrived.

Another man had stopped to help hold him while his wife telephoned the police.

Searching the pavement, officers found a pistol containing three spent rounds and an open knife with a three-inch blade.

John D. Chatman, 19, of 1124 Douglas St., Venice, was arrested at the scene. A juvenile also was detained for questioning.

Chatman was charged during the weekend with attempted armed robbery (accountability) and a similar charge was filed at 12:25 a.m. Sunday against David Alan Jacks, 20, of 34 Garesche Homes, Madison.

Granite City police took custody of Jacks at the Madison police station.

Associate Judge Thomas Hildebrand issued mittimus at 4 p.m. Monday and Chatman and Jacks were taken two hours later to the Madison County jail.

In the same case, Wesley Ware, 17, of 106 Granville St., Venice, was charged with attempted armed robbery at 12:05 a.m. Wednesday. Picked up by Venice police, he was transferred to Granite City, where his bond was set at \$20,000.

FOUR-YEAR PRISON TERM FOR RESIDENCE BURGLARY

Roy Zernan, 24, Cottage Hills, has been sentenced by Circuit Judge Philip Rarick to four years in a state prison on a Sept. 14 guilty plea.

Zernan was charged April 29 with a Madison residential burglary.

Ruling on I-255 suit soon

By JIM WOODCOCK

A judge is expected to rule early next week in the condemnation hearing which pitted the Illinois Department of Transportation against landowners opposing Interstate 255.

Third Circuit Associate Judge Edward Ferguson took the case under advisement after both sides wrapped up their respective arguments in Madison County circuit court last week.

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS attorney Harry Sterling, representing seven landowners seeking to keep their land from being taken for the highway, accused IDOT of failing to secure two key permits needed to build the highway. He also charged that IDOT did not negotiate in good faith when contacting the landowners on a settlement for their property.

Sterling represents landowners Louis and William Keller, Gordon and Mary Jane Cass, Arthur and Dean Faber, Tom and Betty Foster, Lee Willoughby, Gene Radic and Anita Frenzle, and Donald Sandau. Most of the landowners are farmers in the American Bottoms.

THE HEARING was continued from the city before because three IDOT engineers Sterling wanted to question were not present Tuesday.

The three engineers, District 8 Engineer Dale Klob, Assistant Engineer Fred Bartelsmeyer, and Design Engineer Laurel Berger, all agreed during testimonies that IDOT still needs two permits to build the highway.

However, they all said that obtaining the permits was only a formality.

The permits which are still needed are from the Army Corps of Engineers and the Illinois Commerce Commission.

THE PERMIT needed from the Corps is for excavation for a bridge over the Cahokia Canal. IDOT also needs a permit from the ICC to build bridges over railroad tracks adjacent to Illinois 162 and State Aid 35.

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Having said the landowners were not allowed to see the appraisals.

STERLING ASKED Having, "How does a property owner know if something is missed if you don't show him a copy of the appraisal?" Having said, "I cannot answer that."

Sterling said the law states that the highway's final plans must be shown to property owners during negotiations. He said there could be no final plans because IDOT has not secured the permits from the Corps and the ICC.

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ROCK ROAD DUI CHARGE

Shelby L. Wallace, 45, Godfrey, was charged with driving while under the influence of alcohol at 8 p.m. Monday after the front of his pickup truck, westbound on Rock Road, had hit the left rear of the auto of Richard Barnes, 2309 W. 24th St. The car, northbound on Division Street, was turning left onto Rock Road.

TWO BOOKED ON WARRANTS

Vidal C. Guerrero, 30, of 2835 Edwards St. was arrested at his home at 11:50 p.m. Tuesday on a 1983 retail theft warrant. In an unrelated case at 8 p.m. Tuesday, John H. Reed, 18, of 2023 Beckwith St., Madison, was booked on a 1983 Granite City warrant alleging failure to appear at a hearing.

\$20,000 fire damage at Delmar residence

Fire at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday caused \$20,000 damage to the story-and-a-half frame residence owned and occupied by the Richard Hinds family at 2222 Delmar Ave.

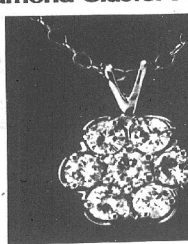
Firemen were at the scene for nearly two hours. They estimated the loss at \$15,000 to the building and \$5,000 to the contents.

The blaze may have been caused by a defective furnace, a preliminary study showed.

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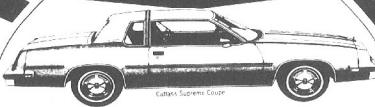


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Grassroots Government

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:
Madison School Board 7:30 p.m. today, Dec. 1, at 1707 Fourth St.
Sanitary District (reorganizational meeting) 4:15 p.m. Monday, Dec. 5, at 1801 Madison Ave.

Lottery Results

Results of the Illinois State Lottery Daily Game were:
Monday, Nov. 28: 627
Tuesday, Nov. 29: 666
Pick 4 Game: 6709
Wednesday, Nov. 30: 850

5 on bus linked to thefts at 3 stores

A Bi-State bus was searched at 10 p.m. Monday at 15th and State streets by Granite City police, who took five youngsters into custody. Three stores had been looted of items.

Two Lincoln Avenue, Venice, boys, 15 years old, and a boy, 14, who resides on Klein Street, Venice, were charged with theft for allegedly taking a large number of gold chains from the K-Mart store.

Some of the chains were found by police beneath the bus seats. Another chain was around the neck of one of the boys.

Two Brooklyn girls, aged 13, also were apprehended on the bus and charged with theft. One had a hair conditioner and styling product from Gasen's and four pairs of socks from Walgreen's. The other girl had perfume from Gasen's and baby powder from Walgreen's.

No receipts for any of the items could be produced by the group, police said. Hearings are planned.

Venice inspector is asked to check burned out home

By FATHAY LUTZ
for the Press-Record

During a short meeting Tuesday night, Venice aldermen requested that the city building inspector inspect a burned-out home on Washington Avenue where children are reportedly playing. The home, which was damaged by fire several months ago, presents a danger to the children because of the unstable roof, it was reported.

In other business, aldermen approved payment of the bills.

Only Victor Valentine and H. A. Svezia did not attend the meeting.

Golden Eagle program recognizes troopers who recover stolen cars

Some Illinois State Police cars will soon be displaying new decals, according to Captain Bobby L. Henry Sr., State Police commander.

Capt. Henry said, "A Departmental program to publicly identify those troopers who recover stolen vehicles went into effect Sept. 1. The new program is called Golden Eagle and involves the use of gold and brown stars, in addition to a golden eagle decal, affixed to the left rear side of patrol cars that are assigned to troopers who recover stolen vehicles. All decals affixed to state police squad cars will be positioned midway between the left rear door opening and the left edge of the rear window.

Gold stars represent recoveries where the arrests of the male, brown stars represent recoveries which do not involve an arrest. The Golden Eagle decal will replace the stars upon the recovery of the fifth stolen vehicle. Thereafter, numbered stars will appear on the Golden Eagle to tally the number of recoveries for a two-year period."

The program is designed to increase Illinois State Police officers' awareness of the growing problem in the field of vehicle thefts, focus attention upon the recovery of stolen vehicles, encourage officers to develop more in-depth inspections of vehicles and occupants who have displayed additional initiative and efforts in the area of stolen motor vehicle recoveries.

Henry said, "Motor vehicle theft has been a problem ever since Henry Ford began assembly line production of the tin lizzie. However, it has only been in the last 15 years that the crime has escalated to alarming proportions. Today, a car is stolen every 29 seconds somewhere in this country. That means about

two cars every minute, 134 every hour and 3,000 every day."

According to data provided by the National Automobile Theft Bureau and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, 1,048,310 motor vehicles were stolen during 1982. This was a decline of 2.4 percent from the 1981 tally of 1,073,988. Although the number of thefts in 1982 showed a modest decrease, the dollar value of stolen vehicles continued to rise.

In addition, last year there were 1,350,455 thefts of contents from motor vehicles. The average theft of contents was \$385. There also were \$1,400,210 thefts of motor vehicle accessories. The average theft of accessories was \$214.

Henry said, "Although not listed among the Fortune 500, auto theft has become big business. Auto thieves are taking the public for a ride in terms of higher taxes, higher insurance premiums and, indirectly, higher prices for consumer goods. Inflation has driven the price of auto parts and repair labor to exorbitant levels.

A study by the Alliance of American Insurers showed that the cost of all part for the 1982 subcompact car was \$26,787 or \$19,659 more than the original sticker price of \$7,128. Consequently, many stolen vehicles wind up in chop shops which supply parts for much less than the cost of new parts."

To date this year, troopers assigned to District 11 have recovered 153 stolen motor vehicles. In addition to state police efforts to combat motor vehicle theft, Capt. Henry added that citizens also can take precautions against the loss of their vehicle or its contents. "The most important anti-theft device you have is you auto key. We suggest that you use it to lock your car whenever you park it. While there is

no foolproof method of preventing car theft, locking your car will slow down the thief and put time on your side. Be sure to lock it even when parked in front of the owner's home.

"Additionally, never leave your car running while it is unattended, even if only for a brief period. When you park, close the windows tightly and turn the front wheels sharply to make towing difficult. Park in a locked garage when possible. Keep your title and registration in a safe place. Engrave your vehicle identification number in hard to find places to aid in identification if the vehicle is stolen. Anyone who would like additional information regarding theft prevention can call the Vehicle Identification Officer at District 11 Headquarters," he said.

"As the cost of motor vehicle theft continues to rise, the question also arises — why isn't something being done about it? Actually, quite a bit has been and is being done to combat this crime. The State Police Golden Eagle will focus attention on the crime of auto theft for a long time," he added.

County transit manager leaving

Miss Susan Schold, manager of the Madison County Mass Transit District, is leaving that post to become director of marketing and planning for the Kansas City Transportation Authority.

The KCTA operates the public bus system in the Kansas City metropolitan area. Her duties there will begin Jan. 16.

Madison and St. Clair counties transit districts were created in 1981 and a short time later Miss Schold left her East-West Gateway Coordinating Council position to manage the two districts.

Both contract with the Bi-State Development Agency for their principal bus service and also provide additional research and service.

Miss Schold resides in Belleville. She will move to Kansas City.

ARREST FOR TRESPASSING

Delmar Ray Waldrop, 38, St. Louis, was arrested last week at a vacant apartment in a residence at 1735-35 Delmar Ave. on charges of trespassing and damaging property. A window had just been broken to permit access and he was holding a brick, police alleged.

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Faster license revocation for serious auto offenses

Persons arrested for serious driving offenses who have caused accidents resulting in death or major injury would have their drivers' licenses revoked quickly under a new policy announced by Secretary of State Jim Edgar.

Edgar said he will ask all 102 Illinois state's attorneys to provide his office on a regular and timely basis with arrest records, coroner's reports and all appropriate evidence in such cases. Currently, licenses are revoked only after the driver has been convicted in court of a serious driving offense, such as drunk driving, reckless homicide, drag racing or leaving the scene of an accident which resulted in death or injury. License revocations are for at least one year, after which the secretary of state has discretion to reinstate driving privileges.

Under the new policy, once

Edgar's office has received information from a state's attorney, the driver's license will be revoked within seven days. Persons whose licenses are revoked can appeal by requesting an administrative hearing.

"Those persons arrested for a serious driving offense like drunk driving which result in death or injury should be taken off the road as soon as possible," Edgar said.

"They should not be allowed to drive for months and months and possibly jeopardize the lives of others in the time it takes the case to come to court."

"In trying to find a solution to prevent the kind of tragedy that recently occurred in Harvey, my legal staff found the law can be interpreted to take his kind of action," Edgar said.

"While the law in 14 other states gives the appropriate licensing authority the ability to revoke drivers' licenses in such cases, as far as we know, Illinois will become the first state to routinely revoke licenses for these offenses," he said.

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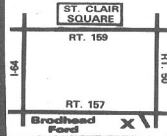
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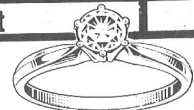
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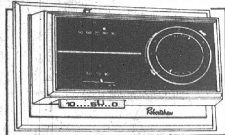
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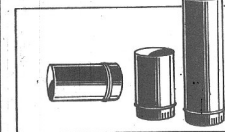
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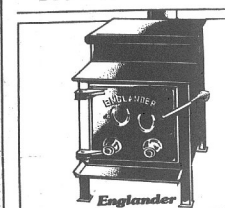
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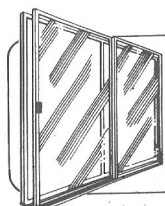
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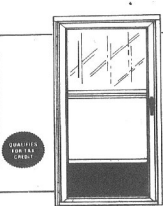
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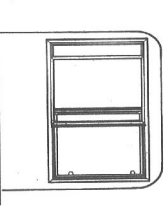
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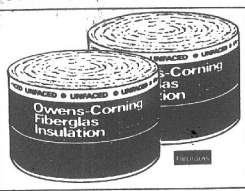
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Eight-year prison

sentence for rapist

Crauzel Moore, 26, East St. Louis,

has been sentenced to serve eight

years in an Illinois penitentiary for a

Madison crime involving rape and

deviate sexual assault.

The charges were filed March 28

and a trial was conducted Aug. 1 and

2, with guilty verdicts announced.

Sentencing this fall was by Circuit

Judge Paul J. O'Neill.

**Foster parents
sought for Billy**

Billy, ten years old, was removed from his natural home more than a year ago because of physical abuse and child neglect. Although he visits his grandmother regularly, she is unable to care for him on an ongoing basis.

Described as pleasant and cute, Billy is of average height and weight and has brown hair and brown eyes. He is friendly and talkative and greatly enjoys the company of adults. His favorite leisure activities are playing kickball, running and playing board games like monopoly.

Although Billy is likeable, he is also active and can be irritating because of his need for frequent attention. He is an immature boy who acts more like a six-year-old.

Well-liked by his teacher, he would probably do best if placed in a two-parent family able to set and maintain reasonable rules. Billy's foster parents should also be willing to work closely with school in planning and discipline.

Considered to be eager to please, Billy responds well to a positive approach and to consistent treatment, according to Gail Holzhausen, resource development supervisor with the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.

While the ideal home for Billy would be in the Alton-Wood River area, families from other areas also would be considered, she said.

Although two-parent families are preferred for children 10 and under, single persons are also accepted for foster care.

Foster parents are needed for children for all ages, it was noted. The greatest needs are homes for teenagers, homes for black children, particularly infants, and homes that can accept three or more children.

All foster families receive a board fee of \$200 to \$247 per month per child, Gail Holzhausen said. Emergency foster homes are paid considerably more.

Medical, dental and pharmaceutical bills for foster children are paid by the state.

Foster parents may turn down any child who would not fit into their families.

All foster homes must be licensed.

There is no charge for a license.

The procedures which include a criminal background check, getting medical exams, submitting

reference information and meeting with department licensing workers, usually take at least two months to complete.

For more information about Billy or about foster home programs, Quad-Cityans may call Pat Stallion at 875-8985.

**Two to share
\$2.9 million**

Illinois State Lottery computers indicated on Monday, two players had correctly matched all six winning numbers in the Nov. 26 lotto.

Les Keister of Mantion and Larry Eystone of Urbana came forward to claim \$1,475,100 each of the grand prize, payable at \$73,755 a year for the next 20 years to each winner.

Both men turned in their tickets to the agent locations where they were purchased and, in both cases, it was the second time the agents shared a customer's grand prize fortune.

Keister found his winning ticket at Quick Trip Food Store in the Lincoln Square area of Urbana, where only last week Mary Jane Burton of Urbana was one of four grand prize winners collecting \$577,825 each.

As a result, these two agents have compiled a lucky streak of their own while collecting one percent of the prize in each instance.

This week's co-winner, Eystone, 36, is married and has one daughter. He says the winning numbers included his wife, Flo's, birthday and age. The prize money will go toward a new home.

He has played Lotto since it began early this year, but his highest previous prize was \$35.

Keister, 30, is employed at the Logan Printing Co. in Peoria. Other winners include 381 players who matched five of six winning numbers for a second prize share of \$1,319.

There were 20,121 players who won the third prize by matching four of six numbers, and they will each collect \$37.

It was the fifth week in a row the grand prize has been won.

This week's guaranteed grand prize to a single winner is \$3 million.



SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS of Granite City Community Unit District Nine, who were elected at the 1983 reorganization meeting of the Board of Education. Left to right are Thomas Mlofsky, board secretary, David Partney, board president, and Kelly Hogan, school treasurer. (Press-Record Photo by Bill Winter)

Public to decide how wildlife funds are spent

An open public meeting to discuss priorities for the recently-created Nongame Wildlife Conservation Fund will be conducted Saturday, Dec. 3, at Sangamon State University in Springfield, according to Carl Becker, Department of Conservation's Natural Heritage Section manager.

The fund was created Sept. 17 when Governor James R. Thompson signed into law the Nongame Wildlife Protection Act. The new law allows Illinois' residents to contribute \$10 or less of their state income tax refunds for non-game wildlife conservation, simply by checking the appropriate box on the tax report form.

The conference, entitled "Priorities for the Non-Game Conservation Fund," will consist of a series of workshops on habitats, species, management, research, education-information efforts, restoration and rehabilitation. The specific problems and needs of Illinois' mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, fish, and invertebrates also will be addressed.

"For the first time in Illinois, wildlife not commonly hunted or fished for sport or profit, will have a stable, long-term funding source," Becker said. "The non-game check-off funds are donations. That is why we believe it is especially important for the public to be involved on the ground floor in deciding how those monies will be spent."

The conference is sponsored by the DCC, Audubon Council of Il-

linois, Illinois Wildlife Federation, Isaac Walton League, Great Lakes Chapter of the Sierra Club, Illinois Audubon Society and Illinois Chapter of the Wildlife Society.

Registration will be from 8 until 9 a.m. at Brookings Auditorium in SSU's Public Affairs Center. A buffet lunch is available for \$6.

Opening remarks will be made by Sen. Virginia MacDonald of Arlington Heights (R-27th District). The keynote address will be by Carol Henderson, non-game supervisor with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. Featured speakers include David Kenney, director of the Illinois Department of Conservation, and Dr. Paul

Risser, chief of the Illinois Natural History Survey.

"We are very serious about involving the public as much as possible as we determine how the anticipated new funds may be utilized in developing the most effective and needed non-game wildlife conservation programs," Becker said. "The non-game check-off law signals a new era for conservation and we want the individual citizen to be a part of it."

Registration forms may be obtained by contacting the Department of Conservation, Natural Heritage Section, Division of Forest Resources and Natural Heritage, 524 S. Second St., Springfield, Ill., 62706, or telephoning 1-217-782-2361.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Miss Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

William Luther Ashworth and Kathleen Ann Watkins, Jackie Lee Cox and Paula Blain Lambert, Edwin Joseph Baker and Janice Marie Hamilton, Randy W. Gay and Lisa R. Crippen, Frank R. Luschning and Pauline B. Luschning, Patrick A. Mushill and Cynthia M. Goelzer, Larry J. McKee and Patricia A. Gagliano, all of Granite City.

Richard D. Powderly Jr. and Melissa L. Gribble, Randall E. Presswood and Anna M. Miller,

Ronald R. Schubert and Bethany C. Long, Michael G. Skoklo and Melissa R. Henke, Jefferson D. Stinson Jr. and Ruth Ann Hay, Jeffrey W. Withers and Sherri R. Ethridge, Michael A. Zarlingo and Lora L. Scarborough, Paul R. Zimmerman and Debra L. Rongey, all of Granite City.

Edward F. Dreisbach, Milton, Pa., and Ava L. McCrea, Granite City.

Aaron C. Flynn, Granite City, and Tammy Sue Evans, Collinsville. Daniel S. O'Dell, Granite City, and Holly Kay Self, Sierra Vista, Ariz.

New robbery of woman shopper leads to another prison sentence

Melvin D. Woolfolk, 25, of 1034 Douglas St., Venice, has been sentenced by Associate Judge Edward Ferguson to seven-year and five-year state prison terms.

It is the second time he has received a long prison sentence related to robbing women shoppers.

In the latest case, the seven-year sentence was for robbery and the five-year term was for aggravated battery. Woolfolk pleaded guilty on Oct. 7.

A second count of aggravated battery was dismissed by Judge Ferguson.

The charges were filed on Sept. 20 after an elderly woman was robbed of her purse outside the K-Mart store in Granite City at 10:55 a.m. Sept. 19. As she walked south toward the front entrance of the store, a man grabbed her shoulder purse, taking it from her and knocking her to the parking lot surface. A wallet inside the purse contained \$40 and credit cards.

She was dragged a short distance on the pavement and suffered a fracture of the left shoulder and multiple

bruises to her knees and wrists. She was taken by ambulance for hospital care.

The victim described her attacker, and an employee of a nearby store gave police a further description.

A store employee saw a man matching the description come from behind the building and heard several people yell that the man was the robber.

A foot chase ensued behind the Gasen and Kroger stores before the man sped away in a 1972 auto. A license number was obtained and Granite City police alerted Venice police, who questioned the owner of the vehicle.

The owner said Woolfolk had borrowed the car to go to the unemployment office on Fehling Road in Granite City. Officers learned from another source that Woolfolk had been seen in the general area of his home, and he was arrested at a relative's residence on Logan Street, Venice.

At a hearing Sept. 20 before being transferred to the Madison County jail, Woolfolk pleaded guilty to possession of a bag of marijuana found in his right sock while he was being booked in Granite City. On that charge, he was sentenced to six months in the county jail.

Melvin Woolfolk was sentenced in the summer of 1981 to serve six

years in an Illinois prison for a robbery occurring Feb. 26 of that year.

In that case, he knocked a Granite City woman to the pavement in front of the Kroger store and took her purse containing \$400. It was found, empty, in a yard on Logan Street.

When the robber fled in an auto, a description was relayed by police and the car was pursued on Bissell Street, W. 3rd Street and Franklin Avenue into a Bissell Street alley.

With Madison police behind the fleeing auto, Venice police drove in front of it, using a patrol car to prevent it from leaving the alley. The driver carried the purse and ran, ignoring two verbal orders to halt and also a warning shot.

Woolfolk was apprehended at the rear of his home by Venice Police Chief Parris Smith in the 1981 case. The purse was located a short time later.

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Suspect in Troy shooting kills self

Additional information has been received this week on the death of Margaret Fohr, 38, a woman who formerly worked in Granite City.

Mrs. Fohr, who lived in Troy, Ill., was found dead of an apparent suicide at 11:50 a.m. last Friday, near Nashville, Ill.

DETECTIVE DENNIS Fischer of the Madison County Sheriff's Department said Mrs. Fohr died of a gunshot wound to her head.

A .38-caliber pistol and a suicide note were found in the car, according to a spokesman for the Illinois Division of Criminal Investi-

gation in Marion, Ill., which was called to investigate her death. There was nothing to indicate it was not a suicide, he said.

A State Police trooper discovered the body while checking what appeared to be an abandoned vehicle on the shoulder of Interstate 64, just north of Nashville.

POLICE HAD been seeking to question her in connection with the shooting of her husband, who was shot twice with a handgun, including once in the chest, in an incident in the couple's home. Fisher said the

shooting had followed a family argument.

Her husband, Robert Fohr, 41, was in listed in serious, but stable, condition at Firmin Desloge Hospital, St. Louis.

There was no one else in the house when Fohr was found, according to Troy Police Detective Steve Nunn. No weapon was found at the scene.

FISHER SAID ballistics tests would be conducted to determine if the same gun Mrs. Fohr apparently used to kill herself was used to injure her husband.

Natural gas amendment signed into Illinois law

The State Department Authorization bill that was recently signed into law included an amendment by Senator Charles H. Percy (R-Ill.), which called on the secretary of state to move immediately to promote lower prices and fair market conditions for imported natural gas.

"Congress has sent a strong message to our gas-trading partners that the United States will not tolerate the purchase of foreign gas at above-market prices," Percy said. "Consumers throughout Illinois and the Midwest have had enough."

Percy's amendment also requires the State Department to report back to Congress on its progress within 30 days. "While we have seen some reductions in the Canadian border price this year, we have yet to see

any relief from high-priced Algerian LNG (liquefied natural gas)," Percy said. "Canada's action is a start, but they must respond to market conditions in the Midwest."

"Algeria must begin to reduce its price or the volume of gas it exports to the U.S. I will continue to press vigorously for legislative solutions, if we don't see relief for Illinois consumers."

Percy has introduced legislation (S. 886), which has 11 cosponsors, that would immediately suspend the license to import LNG by Trunkline LNG Company, which ships LNG to Illinois, Missouri, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Kansas.

Among the Trunkline customers is Illinois Power Co., which serves the Quad-City area.

Robbery series, kidnapping basis of 30-yr. term

Hal Dee Holt, 31, of 2544 Missouri Ave. was sentenced this fall by Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill to serve 30 years in an Illinois penitentiary on an armed robbery charge filed Nov. 17, 1982.

The sentence also took into account six Nov. 22, 1982, Madison County area charges of rape, deviate sexual assault, armed robbery (three counts) and aggravated kidnapping.

An additional Madison County area armed robbery allegation was dismissed, court records show.

Holt was captured Nov. 12, 1982, by Amarillo, Texas, authorities after he had held them at bay for nearly four years.

Wanted for questioning as a possible suspect in Illinois and Arizona, post office armed robberies, he surrendered to police at a home where he had been residing for a month. The Illinois postal robbery was Sept. 20, 1982, at Cache, near Cairo.

Holt also had been sought in another Illinois robbery, an Aug. 20, 1982, holdup at the First Bank of Marine, and for a Chicago parole violation.

MONEY STOLEN FROM PURSE

Connie Slayton, 1008 Grand Ave., Madison, had her purse stolen while she was playing pool at Buzz's Tavern Sunday. Contents in the purse included \$55 cash, \$100 worth of food stamps, a \$139 check to Illinois Power and a personal check for \$15.



SERVING OUR COUNTRY

News of Quad-City area servicemen serving in the various branches of the U.S. military includes:

KEVIN DAUM

Kevin D. Daum, 5 Tulip Court, Pontoon Beach, is home temporarily assigned to the U.S. Army Recruiting Station in Granite City, where he serves as a hometown recruiter's aid.

Kevin is the son of Harold and Christine Daum, and is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School North.

He enlisted for a two-year term and completed Basic Training and skill training at Ft. Jackson, S.C., where he is also a qualified expert in rifle marksmanship and grenades.

Pvt. Daum enlisted for skill training as an administrative specialist to coincide with his desire for a business major in college. He also qualified for the Army College Fund of \$15,000, and he is going to Europe following his duty at the recruiting station.

Kevin will be here until Jan. 3 to talk with interested young people.

WILBURN GIBSON II

Airman Wilburn W. Gibson II, son of Clara M. Mitchell of Collinsville and Wilburn W. Gibson I, 2942 Circle Drive, has been assigned to Chanute Air Force Base, Ill., after completing six weeks of Air Force basic training.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the fire protection field.

STAFF SGT. ROBIN LOCKE
Staff Sgt. Robin E. Locke, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan of 2200 Ohio Ave., Granite City, has been decorated with the second award of the Air Force Commendation Medal at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

It is awarded to those who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Air Force.

She is a periodontics supervisor with the Air Force Regional Hospital. Her husband, Wa, is the son of Wa and Dora M. Locke of Dallas, Texas.

The sergeant is a 1975 graduate of Rolla High School. Her stepmother, Marcia M. Taylor, resides in Rolla.

DAVID A. CLARK

Navy Gas Turbine System Technician Third Class David A. Clark, son of Gloria L. and Benjamin F. Clark II, 2314 Lincoln Ave., and 2908 Buxton Ave., respectively, recently departed on a deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Indian Ocean.

He is a crewmember aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Stephen W. Groves, homeported in Mayport, Fla.

During the deployment, his ship will participate in training exercises with other Six Fleet units and those of allied nations. Port calls will be made to several Mediterranean ports.

The Stephen W. Groves is 445 feet long and carries a crew of 210.

KENNETH GOFF

Marine Aviation Maintenance Administrationman Airman Apprentice Kenneth E. Goff, son of Carl E. and Jeannette M. Goff of 2015 Rhodes St., Madison, has reported for duty with the First Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

YMCA day pass price goes to \$2

"The popularity of youth who use the YMCA on a day pass basis is increasing. Many youths have twice as many youth as we can accommodate in the pool, so we simply can accept only the first 40 youth. Our pool can comfortably accommodate 40. Other youths play in the gym and game room," says David L. Penrite, executive director of the Tri-City Area YMCA.

"We want to continue to encourage the kids to come to the 'Y,' but to enable us to supervise them better, as well as provide a worthwhile experience for adults who use the 'Y,' we are raising our youth daily passes to \$2, effective Dec. 15. This will allow us to provide added supervision for youth during weekends, holidays and school vacations," he added.

GC MAN IS CHARGED WITH DISOBEYING AN OFFICER

Michael Charles Smith, 18, 4013 Kaseberg Lane, Pontoon Beach, was arrested by Madison police at 11:30 p.m. Monday, when he allegedly disobeyed a police officer. Smith was escorted by police from Baskoff's Tavern, 1801 Madison Ave., when the manager ordered him out.

On the outside, Smith allegedly said he would not leave and would go back inside. Smith was arrested, but later was released on a notice to appear in court.

PROBATION ORDERED FOR MAN CHARGED WITH THEFT

Associate Judge Edward Ferguson has ordered a year of probation for Russell Foresee, 20, of 2022 Rhodes St., Madison. Foresee was charged Aug. 12 with felony theft (more than \$500 value).

A guilty plea was submitted on Oct. 3. The date of the offense was not shown in court records.

Hospital notes

Patients admitted to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, include:

Nov. 13-Ollie Mae Pirtle, John Pashadag, Joseph Curtman, Bobbie Shuppert, all of Granite City; Florence Perkins, Brooklyn, Ill.; Bernice Odle, Mount Olive.

Nov. 14-Robert Sullivan, Joseph Hollinger, Vivian Lomax, JoAnn Morris, Rudolph Sprajcar, Hera Schumacher, Edward Courtwright, LeRoy Lawrie, all of Granite City; Burnell Coleman Sr., Madison, Brian Adams, St. Louis.

Nov. 16-Norma Barton, Charles Halby, Rose Kelly, Brian Hoffman and Tina Needham, all of Granite City.

Nov. 17-Keith Hale, Jason Smith and Linda Welby, all of Granite City; Patricia Jones, Collinsville.

Nov. 20-Martha Haefner, Alberta Langley, Melvin Vandergriff, Shirley Drennan, Gene Kessler, Sylvia Hubert, Frank Delallo, all of Granite City; Cris Schenewerk, St. Louis; Roger Pifer, Glen Carbon.

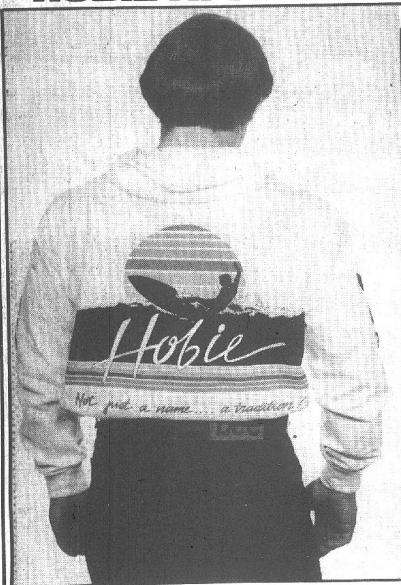
Nov. 21-Larry York, Vida Vandergriff, both of Granite City, and Clevis Andrews, Venice.

Nov. 22-Brett Crow, Granite City.

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P205/75R-15	64.60	2.44
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A Sports Special

Two Madisonians inducted into Tuskegee Hall

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER

Sports Editor

George and Hazel Smith of Madison have spent a lifetime improving themselves and helping others do the same.

For their achievements and contributions, the couple was recognized on Friday, Nov. 4, as they were inducted into the Tuskegee (Ala.) Institute Hall of Fame. The Smiths are the first husband and wife duo ever to be inducted into TI's hallowed halls.

George, born and raised in Madison, is a member of Tuskegee's 1936 graduating class. A member of Tuskegee's track and field teams, he was winner of the javelin throw for three consecutive years as well as champion in the Prairie View and Alabama State Relays. In dual and triangular meets, the tall Smith was never defeated.

George recalled the some of the competition he faced throwing the javelin and some of the lighter times.

"The javelin was my event," he began. "That's where I excelled." His longest throw was 214 feet in his senior year.

"I remember one time, just one time, I had to throw the shot — one of those times when you're called to fill in. The conditions must've been just right, because I won that event too, much to the dismay of the other putters, too, I might add."

George never threw the shot competitively again. After that, he stuck solely to throwing the javelin.

"I guess you could say I was pretty good, but not nearly as good as my wife was at tennis."

Mrs. Smith met her husband at Tuskegee in 1937. By then, she had already established herself as one of Tuskegee's finest women athletes.

A forward and later a guard for the Tuskegee women's basketball team, she lettered in basketball all four years at Tuskegee. But her real strength and love was tennis.

Mrs. Smith, originally from Port Arthur, Texas, lettered in tennis three years while at Tuskegee. She was the Southwest Intercollegiate singles tennis champion in 1937, winner of the Prairie View Tennis Tournament that same year and represented the Golden Tigers in the National Tennis Association (ATA) National Tennis Championships in Ohio in 1936.

From 1933 to 1937 Mrs. Smith toured the ATA circuit with Mrs. Jessie Abbott, wife of one of Tuskegee's coaches, competing in various tennis tournaments throughout the South.

She continued play tennis after leaving Tuskegee and in 1944 won the St. Louis City Tournament women's singles title. In that same year, she teamed with Joe Russell, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale's tennis coach at the time, to finish second in the Midwest Tennis Association Championships, an area covering eight Midwestern states.

"I've enjoyed my career immensely... But, if I had to narrow it down, coaching is what I love most... To see some of the youths I've coached become All-Staters, All-Americans and later become doctors and lawyers is the biggest thrill of all."

George Smith
Tuskegee Hall of Famer

"Oh, I guess I was fairly good," Mrs. Smith modestly said. "I really enjoyed the game, but I don't play anymore," she said turning her wedding ring around her finger. "My husband still plays, but I gave it up some years ago."

Fittingly, it was tennis which brought the couple together at Tuskegee. And it's tennis which George Smith still enjoys playing today.

Mrs. Smith frequented Tuskegee's tennis courts which were adjacent to the swimming pool where George Smith was earning extra money working as a lifeguard.

"I noticed her playing one day," George said. "I knew at that moment that I had to learn to play tennis. We met on the tennis courts and it was then that we started courting," he said smiling.

Then Mrs. Smith volunteered. "That's true but I always win the tennis matches."

"You may have won the tennis matches, but I won the love match," he said grabbing his wife's hand.

That's the kind of caring, loving attitude that reminds through the Smiths' Jefferson Ave. home and which eventually contributed into their induction into the Tuskegee Institute Hall of Fame.

The Smiths were among nine who were inducted into Tuskegee's Hall of Fame during the bi-annual affair. Thus far, the Tuskegee Hall of Fame consists of 50 people.

Do quality for the honored Hall, prospective inductees must continue to improve themselves and have contributed to the development of their communities.

And, the Smiths have filled that requirement adequately.

George, now principal of Woerner IGE (individual guided education) School in St. Louis, one of the magnet schools, has been instructing inner city youths in tennis each Saturday for 17 years.

Initially, for the first five years, he took care of supplying nearly everything himself — purchasing

tennis balls and tennis rackets, tennis balls and nets with his own money. Later, after the program became established and the city began to realize the program's benefit, the St. Louis City Recreation Department stepped in and subsidized the program.

"I really enjoy helping those kids," George said. "For a lot of them, those from the Pruitt-Iggo area, it was the only form of organized recreation they knew."

George's tennis lessons are simple. He begins by teaching four basic points, referring to his method of teaching as "the clinical approach."

First, he emphasizes judging the flight of the ball. Secondly, movement — body movement, getting to the ball. Thirdly, preparation — the proper hand grip and feeling when approaching the ball, and lastly, actually striking the ball.

Among his students was St. Louis' Juan Farrow who later played for Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville national championship team. Farrow is now touring professionally.

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HALL OF FAMERS. George and Hazel Smith hold the plaques commemorating their induction into the Tuskegee Institute Hall of Fame. The Madison couple was inducted into the Hall last month for their contributions to sports and social development.

(Press-Record Photo by Alan L. Gerstenecker)

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Grapplers Debut Friday

Schmitt: School merger does not necessarily mean might

By ROGER KRAMER

of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — Most area wrestling experts believe Granite City High School should have an awesome wrestling team this season. On paper, the logic looks good.

Southwestern Illinois' two best wrestling programs, Granite City North and Granite City South, were put together with the consolidation of the schools.

In only 10 years, Granite City North was able to build a very strong wrestling program. North culminated its program by winning its final 4 dual matches in a row. Last season, North was victorious in both its regional and sectional tournament.

Meanwhile, South had the dean of Illinois wrestling coaches at its helm, Bill Schmitt. Prior to North's first regional win in 1982, Schmitt and the Warriors had won 24 straight regional (district) championships. Even though South finished at 15-10 last season, the Warriors remained respectable.

Most people expect Schmitt and the talent from the two schools to combine into a super team. Schmitt,

however, sees things a little differently.

"People think that if you add one and one together you get two. They figure combining two things is better than any one thing by itself," Schmitt said. "If it's a football or

soccer team you're talking about, you can shuffle people around to get the team you want, but you can't do that with wrestling."

There is one reason why shuffling is not feasible in wrestling — weight. It's possible to shuffle the team somewhat, but it's difficult because of the problems of making weight from meet to meet.

Although the Warriors have plenty of talented wrestler coming in this year, the problem is that those wrestlers are concentrated in one area rather than spread out among the 12 classes. This year, the talent is spread out between the 138 and 167 weight classes.

At no place is the talent more concentrated than at 155. Right now, the top wrestler at that level is Mark Dowdy, a senior in his third year. This year, Dowdy advanced farther in the state tournament than any other

warrior grapplers. Brent McKenney (top) tries to roll over Greg Nemeth during a recent Granite City High School basketball practice. McKenney and Nemeth should be two of the Warriors' top wrestlers this year.

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Freshmen John Anderson and Jon Morgan are contenders for his spot as well.

At 98, junior Jeff Cotter holds the edge over sophomore Ken Tindall. Gary Mann is the top man at 105 with Darrin Singleton pushing him. The lighter weights appear to be a strong point for Granite City.

At 132, senior Mike Novich is the number one wrestler, and freshmen Mike Robertson and Bill Stone are

pushing him.

Tracy McElroy is currently wrestling at 185 because junior Lester White has a knee injury and sophomore Chris Groer has an ankle injury. At heavyweight, Bill Perigo, a senior, has the edge over senior Jerry Hogan and junior Daron Griffin.

"Everyone thinks we're going to be loaded, but we're inexperienced at a lot of areas," Schmitt said.

"We're going to be better than South was last year, but we're not going to be as good as North last year."

The Warriors will find out a lot about themselves this weekend. Tomorrow, the Warriors host Edwardsville, Centralia and Carbondale in a quadrangular meet at 6 p.m. The Warriors travel to Decatur Saturday to grapple with Decatur a.m.

SportSchedule

Thursday, Dec. 1	BASKETBALL: GCC vs. Kaskaskia, home	7:30 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 2	BASKETBALL: Madison at Pinckneyville	6:30 p.m.
	WRESTLING: GCHS vs. Pville, Centralia	6 p.m.
	GCC at Illinois Open in Champaign	
Saturday, Dec. 3	BASKETBALL: GCHS at Quincy Notre Dame	6:15 p.m.
	GCC at Washington University	7:30 a.m.
	WRESTLING: GCHS at Decatur McArthur, Stephen	11 a.m.
	GCC at Illinois Open in Champaign	
Sunday, Dec. 4	PRO FOOTBALL: St. Louis at New York Giants	noon

St. Henry Annihilated For Venice Red Devils, it's business as usual: winning

By ROGER KRAMER
of the Press-Record

It's business as usual for the Venice High School basketball team. Venice, which opened the season Tuesday in Belleville with a 90-30 thrashing of St. Henry, an Illinois Gateway Conference rival, made few changes despite a new head coach this year.

Clinton Harris, a former Lovejoy High School basketball coach, took over the head coaching job at Venice earlier this year. Ken Perkins, who coached the Red Devils for four years and was an assistant coach under Rich Essington, resigned in August to become the assistant principal at Waterloo High School.

Usually, a new coach has to make drastic changes in the program to get the desired results, but Harris is an exception. Harris, who coached with Perkins on a local AAU basketball team, shares most of Perkins' philosophies on coaching.

"Everybody's a little different in his ways, but Ken and I did things on

the AAU team just about the same way," Harris said. "We're not doing too much different than what we did last year."

Fortunately for Harris, Perkins left the foundation of a good basketball team for this season. Despite not having a starter over 5-10 last season, the Red Devils rolled up a 21-5 record. Two starters from that team, guard Eddie Salmond and forward Phillip White, will provide much of Venice's scoring punch this season.

Salmond, who was Venice's leading scorer last year with an average of 18.9 points a game, should be the man to stop again this year. Salmond, a 5-11 senior who has started ever since his sophomore season, also had 172 rebounds, 125 assists and 76 steals last season.

White, meanwhile, scored 12.1 points a game last year. Like Salmond, White is a defensive threat. The senior picked up 64 steals last season.

If the St. Henry game is any in-

dication of the rest of the season, White and Salmond will handle their leadership qualities well. White scored 22 points and Salmond scored 20 points despite playing only slightly more than half the game.

"We have some good leadership this year," Harris said. "Those two, along with Darren Wise, are going to be the leaders of the team."

Wise is also a returning letterman who saw considerable action late last season for the Red Devils. Larry McGhee is Venice's point guard this year, and Victor Johnson is the other starting forward.

Others who will see varsity action this season include junior guard Craig Hamilton, junior forward Charles Milton, senior center Lonzie Helms, junior guard Karl Brent, Lorenzo Brinnage and Greg Robinson.

All of the Red Devils saw action against inexperienced Belleville St. Henry. The Eagles, which lost to Worden last week to end Worden's 40-game losing streak, were never in the game.

The speed and sharp shooting of the Red Devils allowed them to accelerate to a 20-4 first quarter lead. By halftime the score was 44-8.

The ease of the victory allowed Venice to substitute in the second quarter, and Harris was able to rotate his troops throughout the remainder of the game. St. Henry scored half of its points in the fourth quarter when victory was well at hand.

"The boys did everything we asked them to do, and everyone did what they were told to do," Harris said. "They looked pretty good going up and down the court, and we shot well and played good defense. They played with a lot of confidence."

Besides the 42 points produced by Salmond and White, Wise put in 10 points for the Red Devils. All of the

Red Devils who played the game scored.

Harris acknowledged the Red Devils would get more of a test at home Friday against Lebanon. The biggest test, coming for the Red Devils is whether they can rebound against the taller teams like Madison, Lovejoy and Assumption.

"It depends on how well we can screen the other team," Harris said. "Jumping ability isn't as important as positioning, and if we can screen effectively, we can rebound."

Harris said he had few problems adjusting to Venice and that people have accepted him. The cooperation he has received and the talent he has seen leaves Harris very optimistic for the season.

"We have a great deal of talent. We have 12 good, solid players, and

we can be pretty good this season. We're always really small in Venice, but I have a feeling that we're going to win quite a few games and pull a few upsets," Harris said.

SCORING				
Venice	20	24	22	24-90
St. Henry	4	4	7	15-30

VENICE (90): Salmond 10 0-20, McGhee 2 2-6, Wise 5 0-0 10, White 11 0-1 22, Jackson 2 2-8, Hamilton 3 0-0 8, Milton 4 0-0 8, Helms 2 0-0 4, Brent 1 0-0 2, Brinnage 1 0-0 2, Robinson 0 2-2 2. FG 42, FT 6-7, PF 21.

ST. HENRY (30): Williams 1 0-1 2, Schroeder 4 4-12, Glasmon 1 1-7 3, Hemmiller 2 0-0 4, Nagle 2 2-8 7, Bectin 0 2-2 2. FG 10, FT 10-21, PF 7.

In Exhibition Grappling Stars lose to SIUE

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — It can be said that Granite City's wrestling team is caught between two hard places.

The first being the inavailability of wrestling mats — the Stars have but a single mat for practicing and meets. The second hard place is the lack of weight training equipment.

To make up for GCC's training shortcomings, Star Coach Jim O'Dell has scheduled the Stars to meet some of the toughest grapplers in the area. It's O'Dell's strategy that what his team may not learn in practice, they may learn by confronting some of the area's best wrestlers.

"The only way we're going to get better is to wrestle the good ones," O'Dell said. "Tuesday after the match, 'SIUE is truly one of the good teams around."

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From the opening match, a 118-pound pairing featuring GCC's Chuck Gardner and John Eichelberger, the Cougars took control.

Eichelberger won a 16-8 decision, a takedown 16 seconds into the match and never looked back. For much of the match, Eichelberger was content in taking down Gardner for two points and then allowing him to escape, getting one point back.

With 19 seconds remaining in the second period and trailing 12-6, Gardner began to close the point spread.

With 38 seconds left, Gardner managed to get back to a neutral position for one point and then again in the opening seconds of the third period, 12-4.

In the closing seconds, however, Eichelberger was able to ward off Gardner's comeback attempt to eventually win 17-11.

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In the second 142-pound match, GCC's Darren Lindsey dropped a 12-7 decision to Steve Apicella.

At 150, Granite City's Jeff Nichols, a state qualifier last year for Civic Memorial High School, was dropped a 6-2 decision to Bob Briggs.

In the other match, 158 pounds, Jim Tiemann got behind SIUE's Troy Juden early, but came back to tie the match after three minutes.

In the second period, Juden took control and dashed to a 6-3 lead and by the end of the bout Juden stayed off Tiemann's attack to win 8-5.

The highlight of the match for GCC was the final bout, 177 pounds.

Dowdy, a 187-pounder for Granite City South two years ago, pinned SIUE's Roger Reisz at 2:05.

Scoreless after 30 seconds, Dowdy took down Reisz and began setting up the eventual fall. It came 31 seconds later.

"Isn't that something," Dowdy said afterwards realizing he was GCC's only winner of the evening. "I'm wrestling well, but I think I can still get better," Dowdy said.

The brawny 177-pounder said although he's happy with the way he's been wrestling lately, he says he still needs to improve on his mat speed.

"I still think I'm a little slow setting up, but that'll come as I get in better physical shape," he said.

Dowdy may be a little critical of his own abilities, but O'Dell isn't.

"Ken's been simply amazing for us thus far. He's been our most pleasant surprise," O'Dell said. "He's our diamond in the rough."

To O'Dell's dismay and with the Stars battling injuries to Scott Corey, Steve Gauth and Scott Polson, Dowdy joins the ranks of the inactive.

Yesterday, he entered St. Elizabeth Medical Center for ear surgery. It's not yet known how long he'll be out of action.

The Stars next match is this weekend as they travel to Champaign to compete in the Champaign Open. They'll return home on Saturday to begin preparing for their match against Lincoln on Dec. 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Women's Basketball

Smith guides Cougars to second win

By AL BARNES
for the Press-Record

ST. LOUIS—The brilliance of high school girls' basketball in the state of Iowa, where frequently the girls' games outdraw the boys' cage frays, couldn't stand up to the outstanding play of a little female student guard on the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville team Tuesday night at the University of Missouri, St. Louis.

For the second straight game, the lady Cougars of SIUE won, defeating UMSL in a solid and convincing 68-58 victory. The chief SIUE architect of that triumph was little Mia Smith who led all scorers with 19 points.

Smith, a tiny (5'5") flashy ball-handler and floor general (aka Bob Cousy), was nothing less than sensational as she orchestrated Coach Wendy Redburn's SIUE overall game, both on offense and defense.

The SIUE women's victory, which

was only the third in 12 meetings between the two schools, ran the Riverwomen dropped to an even 2-2. SIUE had opened its 1983-84 season with an 89-73 win over the Miners of the University of Missouri, Rolla, last Friday. In that game, too, Mia Smith's playing was also a key factor in the victory.

The most amazing thing about Smith's performance for the Cougars against UMSL was that she played the last half with four personal fouls on her. She had picked up that quartet of fouls in the first half while scoring three of her game's nine baskets; but it was her aggressive ball-hawking and driving to the basket which gave the Cougars their razor-thin 32-31 lead at the intermission.

UMSL's new basketball coach, Mike Larson, got his start coaching women's basketball in Iowa and

brought the Riverwomen's scoring ace, Debbie Sterk, point guard and his tallest player (6-9), center Marla Schmidt, from Iowa with him.

Sterk, whose game is much like that of the Cougars' Smith, paced the losers with 16 points. It was her driving layup basket with just 1:14 on the clock which gave the UMSL fans hope that the Cougars just might possibly be overtaken and made the score 64-58, SIUE.

But, with just 21 seconds left on the clock, little Mia Smith broke the home court fans' hearts as she stole two straight UMSL passes and drove in for a pair of driving layup baskets. She also decisively from around the free-throw stripe.

It wasn't all Smith, though, for the Cougars. Hedberg got standout performances from Beth Ascherman, Lori Biale, Ranae Harris, Lisa Cole, Darlene Reed and Nancy Straker, plus short reliever Nancy Swain and Robin Purchas, both filling in for the foul-threatened Smith early in the second half.

The women SIUE's basketball squad next goes into action in their first annual Converse Cage Classic Friday and Saturday nights at the Granite City Center gym.

Friday's leadoff game pits the Missouri-Kansas City Kangaroos against the Oakland Michigan Pioneers at 6 p.m., while the host Cougars take on the Screaming Eagles of Indiana State U. of Evansville at 8 p.m.

Saturday's third-place game will start at 6 p.m. and the championship contest will get underway at 8 p.m.

SIUE 68, UMSL 58
SIUE-Smith 15, Ascherman 12, Blade 1, Harris 13, Cole 5, Reed 4, Straker 8. FG 28 FT 12 PF 20.

UMSL-Sterk 16, Cassaday 16, Thompson 5, Mackey 1, Gregory 2, Schmidt 8, Lisch 4, Schuster 4. FG 27 FT 4 PF 20.

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Gerardo Pagnani, the varsity soccer coach of Fremd High School in Palatine, was named "Coach of the Year" in Illinois for the 1983 season.

He is the husband of Colleen Jeffries Pagnani, formerly of Granite City and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs.

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At All-State Banquet Pagnani named soccer Coach-of-Year

James Jeffries of 2677 Center Street. The award was presented to Pagnani during the All-State Soccer Banquet held in Schiller Park on November 17.

Pagnani has an overall coaching record of 22-51-20 after four years at Fremd and four previous years at Hoffman Estates High School. This year's team was ranked fourth in

state at one time and lost just one of its last 12 games.

His team also had the distinction of fielding three All-State players in Mike Polizzi, Mike Ignoffo and Joe Stacy.

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Miss Roberta Ann Winklmeier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winklmeier, of Madison, and Joe Gosney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gosney, of Hunnewell, Mo., exchanged vows on Nov. 12 at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Madison.

The Rev. Mel Toczek officiated at the 2 o'clock afternoon ceremony which was followed by a reception at the American Legion. Nuptial selections were provided by Helen McGarrahan, organist, and Brenda Sololewski, soloist.

Connie Plechocinski served as honor attendant with bridesmaids Alvona Winklmeier and Hope Winklmeier, sisters of the bride. The groom chose Mark Brayer as best man, Nick Teigoloff, Robert Moske, and David and John Winklmeier, brothers of the bride, completed the corps of groomsmen and ushers.

The bride is employed as a registered nurse at St. Elizabeth's Medical Center, and the groom is a District Executive with the Cahokia Mound Council, Boy Scouts of America.

The newlywed couple is now residing in Granite City.

Brian Wortham birthday honoree

Brian Alan Wortham celebrated his sixth birthday at a party given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wortham, 2585 Boyle Ave., during the weekend.

A "Master of the Universe" motif was used in the decorations and provided the game theme. After the honoree opened his gifts the guests enjoyed breaking a pinata and were served a dessert course.

Present were Jon Reader David Stearn, John Polivick, Doug Mills, Tonya Miller, Jeff Paszek, Marshall Converse, Bobby Singleton, Chad Judge and Jennifer Wortham, sister of the honoree.

Dr. Mrs. Doroghazi announce second son

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Doroghazi of Columbia, Mo., are announcing the birth of their second child, Michael Robert.

The parents are former Granite City residents. Mrs. Doroghazi is the former Nancy Acola. The couple has a 2½-year-old son, John.

Their new son weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces, at birth Nov. 19, 1983, at Boone Hospital Center, Columbia.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Doroghazi and Mrs. and Mrs. Alvin Acola, all of Granite City. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Davis Nagy Sr. and Mrs. Ruth Reichmann, also of Granite City.

COUNCIL FOR GIFTED PLANS

POTLUCK DINNER DECEMBER 5

The Granite City Council for Gifted Children will conduct its annual potluck dinner Monday, Dec. 5, at the Parkview School cafeteria, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Parents are being asked to bring a covered dish, which could be a vegetable, salad, dessert or other food item. All members of the families involved will be welcomed. Those planning to attend are being encouraged to call council officers by this Saturday to make reservations, if possible. Officers include Judy Russell at 877-1058, John Melford at 451-5785 and Jane Isenbarg at 931-6281.

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NEW DAUGHTER, MELANIE

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Kaiser, 319 Julia Place, Belleville, are announcing the birth Nov. 22 of their second daughter, Melanie Renee, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville. The new arrival weighed eight pounds, eight ounces. The mother is the former Suzanne Bellovich.

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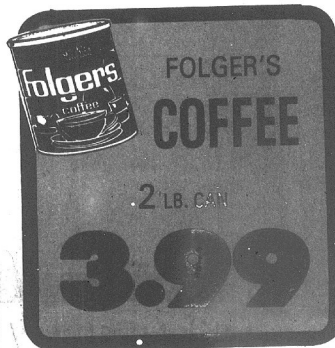
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Community Events

Auxiliary contributes to Project Help

The Eagles Auxiliary 1126 voted to send a donation of \$25 to Project Help to give aid to those who are out of work during the Christmas holidays. A donation was also sent to the Illinois State Auxiliary to help purchase a gift for the National Eagles Auxiliary president on her official visit to the State of Illinois, in the near future.

President Gladys Freeman conducted the meeting with members reciting the pledge of allegiance and Chaplain Vincenz Zertan offering the opening prayer.

Mrs. Helen Frazier, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, and made a correction to the fact that the Auxiliary Quilting Club will prepare the turkey and dressing for the ladies' Christmas dinner party on Dec. 13 at 6:30 p.m. instead of the Kitchen Band, as was previously announced. Each one attending is to bring a covered dish and gift for exchange, she added.

The president announced the Auxiliary Quarterly District 8 meeting will be held at Shiloh on Sunday, Dec. 4. Local members are to meet at the Eagles Home at 12:30 for group transportation.

In other business it was announced

the Aerie officers breakfast will be held at the Eagles Home on Sunday, Dec. 11, at 9 a.m., and members agreed to bring homemade pumpkin pies to the Aerie Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner.

Applications were read and balloted on two new members who will be included in the group initiation ceremony in January. Mrs. Leona Delaloye, submitted the treasurer's report.

EVENTS PLANNED FOR ANCHORAGE SR. CLUB

The next regular business meeting of Anchorage Senior Citizen Club will convene at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, at the housing project recreation hall and the annual Christmas party is scheduled for noon on Dec. 21, according to Mrs. Augusta Lampe, club president.

During the November meeting, David Morgan, housing executive director, spoke on the roofing project which is in progress noting the roof work will continue until all is completed.

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The decorating committee, Yvonne Gray, Kathy Barnhart and Linda Bone, announced they are planning on decorating the Christmas tree and tables for the forthcoming holiday parties.

Refreshments were served after the meeting by hostesses Lola Barylski and Annie Reed at tables adorned with baskets of fall flowers. Prizes for the night went to Lorraine McIlvoy and Vincenz Zertan.

Organ Pedalers plan holiday party

Grand Pedaler Carolyn Belling, of the A.O.A.I. Organ Pedalers Club, led a discussion on hosting a Christmas party during the November business meeting of the organization.

Members met at the National School of Music, 2100 Cleveland Blvd., and agreed to hold the festive event on Dec. 19 at the school to begin at 7 o'clock in the evening. Although invitations will be sent to

members and guests, Mrs. Betty Applegate will conduct a personal telephone contact with each one extending an invitation to attend the yule affair, if it was announced.

Upon learning a member, Leroy Barth, is hospitalized the group purchased a ceramic pinna music box which will be presented to him at a later date.

Immediately following the business segment, Dorothy Alsen, Carolyn Belling, Burt Schmisser,

Betty Applegate and Diane Mason, entertained with selections on the organ.

Refreshments, furnished by Great Chimemaster Diane Mason, were served to those named and to Fern and Harvey House, Doris Schmidt, Henry Coleman and guests, Marie Mason, Wilhelmina Worthen, Martha Ryan, and Harry and Karen Kunkle from North Carolina.

Table decorations were carried out in an autumn motif.

Golden Agers nominate slate

Those celebrating birthdays were Evelyn Smith, Grace Paddock and Pauline Cox. The group sang to the three.

It was reported the Happy Group will conduct its Christmas at noon on Dec. 12 at the Anchorage Center.

After the meeting, cake and coffee was served. Games were played. Winners were Grace Paddock, Pauline Cox, Caroline Lux, Evelyn Smith, Lela Puck, Edgar Paddock, Eva Durham, Lillian Gregory and Mrs. Corbitt.

Retired Employees elect

Gerald Walters was elected president of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Chapter 1067, during the group's regular meeting at Charlie's Restaurant.

Other officers elected were Ruth Stoyanoff, first vice president; Thara Erney, second vice president, and treasurer Helen Martin.

Nominations for chapter secretary will be sought at the Dec. 12 meeting. Officers will be installed at that session.

The group observed a moment of silence for deceased member Edith Schwab. Willard Messer gave the invocation.

Lawrence Hengehold, first vice president, gave a legislative review. He reported the Consumer Price Index for September was four-tenths of one percent.

He stated the House of Representatives has approved a 4 percent increase for federal employees to be in effect Jan. 1, 1985. Senate approval on the issue is expected.

Members were encouraged to read various articles in "Retirement Life," concerning increased health

insurance premiums and other insurance articles in the magazine. Mayne Vallow, Sunshine Committee chairman, reported that three get-well cards and one sympathy card were sent during October. She also announced that longtime chapter member John Cuvor was hospitalized.

Members approved a motion by Frances Hoppe that individuals be asked at the next meeting to make contributions to the Salvation Army Tree of Lights campaign.

Job's Daughters elect officers

Lisa Jones was elected queen of Bethel 43, Order of Job's Daughters, at the November meeting held in the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard.

She will serve a six month term of office with Beth Barr, senior princess, Carmen Joyce, junior princess, Diane Kaitmayer, guide, and Paula Bills, marshal.

Honors were also accorded, during the meeting, to past queens of the Bethel, Mrs. Margaret Kaitmayer, Miss Sue Sandall, Miss Kathy Bronsman and Miss Sheri Ashal.

Lisa Gibbons, the retiring queen, presided at the session as the members voted to send a donation to Specialized Services. She also submitted a report of activities and projects completed during her term of office.

Preceding the meeting a potluck supper was served and after the business segment cake and punch was served at tables decorated in an Thanksgiving motif with miniature cornucopias given as individual favors.

Social night for Laureate Chapter

Members of Laureate Alpha Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, attended a dinner in the Terrace Room of the Sheraton Plaza Hotel and later attended the theatre.

They went to Westport Playhouse to see "Pump Boys and Dinettes" termed a light hearted country flavored musical that was a hit on Broadway.

Those attending were Lora Lombardi, Delores Dorch, Arlene Haldeman, Norma Rains, Imogene Forrest, Jane Stevens, Ruth Stoyanoff, Evelyn Tolliver, Pat Tsigiaroff, Dolores Byrnes and Bea Brackett.



HONORARY PLAQUE given to the Old Six Mile Historical Society in recognition of service rendered to the entire community by Dr. Falcia Koch, center, chairman of the Community Betterment Awards Subcommittee of the Tri-Cities Chamber of Commerce. Accepting the honor at the Chamber Board of Directors meeting is Mrs. Georgia Engelke, left, and Don Gorgac, president of the historical society.

DAR Chapter hears division director

Mrs. Wayne W. Marquart, Division 6 Director of the Daughters of the American Revolution and resident of Effingham, Ill., was the guest speaker during a meeting of the DuSable Andrews Chapter, of the DAR, held at Burn's Cafeteria.

She spoke on "Duty, Attitude, and Responsibility" and touched upon the various interests of the DAR: chapters, genealogy, conservation, national defense, service for veteran patients, and the good citizen program for high school students. Mrs. Marquart also noted that the national project will again be the continued renovation of the DAR buildings in Washington, D.C. and that the Illinois State Conference will be held in Decatur in March 1984.

Mrs. Sandra Wilkinson, regent, conducted the opening ceremonies assisted by Mrs. Emma Schoen, who served as the chaplain pro tem. Mrs. Barbara Williams presented a national defense topic on the 363rd anniversary of the Mayflower Compact, the first self-government agreement in America. A safety tip

on postal fraud was presented by Mrs. Linda Koenig. Miss Ella Ray Smith read the President General's message.

Donations were voted to be sent to two Indian Colleges-Bacone in Oklahoma, and St. Mary's School for Indian Girls in South Dakota. Also, contributions were made to a microfiche fund for the Selmes Microfilm Center in Washington, D.C.

Also present were Mrs. Margaret Belt, and Mrs. Florence Simpson.

Alpha Eta hears musician and actress

The Alpha Eta Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, held its monthly meeting at the Holiday Inn in Alton.

At 9:30 a.m. the group attended a buffet brunch, hosted by Ardythe Browning and Cynthia Hermell. Personal items were collected for Oasis.

Linda McDonnell, music chairman, led the group in singing "I Love". Patty Pendleton then introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Helen J. Smith, well-known in the Alton area for her music and her dramatic ability. She is a member of the American Society of Composers and Publishers and has also been a member of Little Theater for 50 years.

She took the group "walking in her shoes" and gave a description of her childhood. She impressed upon the audience that "you can take criticism and do something about it. If you are willing to spend the time, you can do anything and do it well."

Mrs. Smith traveled with the Chautauque Circuit and gave the group a vivid description of her personal experience. She left the group with the challenge "that the future of art depends on you."

Alpha Eta Chapter now has a membership of 106. Shirley McCune announced that application blanks for scholarships were available. Rowena Lutz, from the club, was introduced as a recipient in 1968.

The National Convention will be held in Las Vegas while the State Convention will be held in St. Louis, March 30 - April 4, it was noted.

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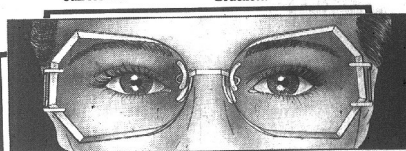
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Changelian-Parsaghian

The wedding of Miss Diane Parsaghian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parsaghian, 12 Devon Hill Lane, and Paul Steven Changelian, 59 Monmouth St., Brookline, Maine, was solemnized on Oct. 8 at St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church.

Officiating at the 5 o'clock evening service was the Rev. Khoren Hahabedian. Organist Mary Haroian accompanied Mrs. Ann K. Changelian, mother of the groom, as she sang nuptial selections.

Parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. George Paul Changelian, reside at 17 Fairview Ave., Lexington, Maine.

Immediately following the ceremony guests were received at a reception held at Henry The 8th in St. Louis.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was, Carol Larrabee, and the bridesmaids included Carol and Joanne Avedissian, cousins of the bride, Nina Changelian, a sister of the groom, and Sema Arakelian, the groom's cousin.

Taline Hagopian, a cousin of the bride, was the flower girl and Gregory Karapetian, godson of the groom, was the ring bearer.

The groom chose his brother, Andrew Changelian as best man. Mark Changelian, another brother of the groom, Richard Changelian, and Paul Arkelian, cousins of the groom, and Robert Parsaghian, brother of



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Changelian

the bride, were groomsmen.

Serving as altar boys were Raffi Karapetian and Harry Wright Jr.

A 1976 graduate of Granite City High School South, the bride also graduated from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville in 1980, with a B.S. degree in Business.

The groom is a 1974 graduate of American High School of The Hague, Holland, and received a B.S. degree in Chemistry in 1978 from the University of Michigan.

The newly married Mr. and Mrs. Changelian are now residing in Brookline, Maine.

Former GC residents mark 55th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond L. (Stella) King of 309 W. Center St., 1 Placentia, Calif., formerly of Granite City and Madison, were guests of honor at a party given by their daughters to celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary.

Guests were received in the home of one of their daughters, Roberta King of Agoura, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. King were married Nov. 24, 1928, and are the parents to three children, Edmond King Jr. of Spokane, Wash., Jacqueline and Roberta. They also have nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Assisting with the festive event were Mr. and Mrs. Donald (Jacqueline King) Gerken and one of their daughters Erin Gerken and Shannon and Seana, daughters of the hostess.

Mr. King retired from General Steel Industries in 1972 after 44 years



Mr. and Mrs. Edmond King

of service and the couple moved to California in 1974.

Grimes family holds holiday reunion

The Grimes family celebrated a Thanksgiving Day reunion at Buck and Jan's Den. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Lester (Lorraine) Grimes of Madison.

The couple's children and in-laws attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grimes and sons, John and Brian. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Willy Stover and children, David and Sandy; Jeanene Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Frisse and son, Jeff.

Out-of-state children and in-laws attending were: Chief Petty Officer Jim Grimes, based in San Diego,

Calif.; Susan Grimes, Creve Coeur, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grimes and daughter, Tina, Orange, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jacobs and children, Jim and Jennifer, Fallon, Nev., and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Grimes and daughters, Jeannette and Julian.

Other relatives attending were grandchildren Joe, Cindy and Kathy Grimes of Edwardsville and Grace Grimes, mother of Lester Grimes, of Venice.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. Frisse, Edwardsville; Elizabeth Ashby, Granite City, and Leslie Holt, Licking, Mo.

Engaged



Tammy Boedecker and Steve Joyce

Boedecker-Joyce

The engagement of Miss Tammy Boedecker and Steve Joyce is being announced by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Gary Boedecker, 627 N. Locust St., Litchfield, Ill.

Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. Ron Joyce of Litchfield. He also is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Kern of Granite City.

Miss Boedecker plans on attending a cosmetology school next fall.

Her fiancé will graduate in June from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, with a bachelor of science degree in accounting.

They plan to be married on Dec. 17.

Duckworth-Schulte

Mr. and Mrs. William Duckworth, 2364 Edgewood Ave., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Leesa Sue Duckworth to Craig Elmer Schulte, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schulte, 2304 St. Bernard Ave.

A graduate of Granite City High School, the bride-elect also graduated in 1975 from Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing. She is currently employed as a registered nurse at St. Louis Children's Hospital.

Her fiancé was graduated from Granite City High School, Belleville Area College in 1977, and from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, in 1982. He is an employee of Acme Foods in St. Louis.

The betrothed couple plan to be married on May 5 at St. John United Church of Christ.

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YOUNG DANCERS ENTERTAIN CHOUTEAU SENIOR CITIZENS
Chouteau Township-Senior Citizens held their November meeting at the Township Hall, with 71 in attendance. They enjoyed a turkey and pot luck dinner. The Rev. William Richardson asked the blessing.

Members of the Jerry Green Dance School furnished entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pickering of Hartford were honored on their golden wedding anniversary with a decorated cake presented by Mrs. Laue Crawford.

Those honored for having birthdays in November were Hazel Sparks, Ferdi Segar and Mary Fowler.

It was announced that board meeting will be held at the hall on Dec. 8 at 1 p.m. The next meeting on Dec. 15 will include a pot luck dinner, with ham furnished by the organization. There will be a gift exchange.

Members are being asked to bring canned goods which will be given to the needy for Christmas.

Prizes were awarded to W. L. Mullins, Helen Roemer and John Kleeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richter entertained with a Christmas dinner for their infant son, Paul Michel, who was christened at St. John United Church of Christ. Spouses were John Orr, Marie Kostoff and Gilbert Richter Sr.

Those attending the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Doris McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Palmer, Joey and Dawn Kostoff, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gosick and children, Tonya, Steven and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis, Mrs. Barbara Vaillo and son, Ed, Mrs. Alma Walk and the grand-daughters, Mr. and Mrs. James Schieb and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Richter.

Out-of-town guests were Leroy Hamann of Atton, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lindner of High Ridge, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelm and children, Becky, Jeff and Marco, of Kirkwood, Mr. and Mrs. Don Phinney and children, Dee, Dawn and Ron, of Florissant and the infant's uncle and aunt, John and Karen Orr of Point Mugu, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Gertrude Boyle have returned home from decatur, where she visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle.

Christmas program at Frohardt School set

The annual Christmas program, featuring students in kindergarten and first through third grades, of Frohardt School will be presented on Monday, Dec. 12, at the school, according to Don Kopp, principal.

Kopp made the announcement at the November general meeting of the PTA unit and also noted the PTA board meets on the first Monday of the month, general meeting is the second Tuesday and skating parties are on the second Monday of the month.

Carolyn Sykes and Betty Cook said the Santa Secret Shop is set to open on Monday, Dec. 5, to allow the students to shop for family and relatives.

During the business segment the members approved purchases of a soccer kick board, gym equipment and educational materials for all classrooms.

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Opti-Mrs. fete birthday members

Mesdames Ann Little, Myra Parrish, Elvira Thurber and Jo Meyer were hostesses for Opti-Mrs. November meeting held at Charlie's Restaurant. Luncheon was served after a prayer was given by Mrs. Little.

Mrs. Dorothy McCauley, president, opened the meeting and led the group in repeating the Opti-Mrs. Creed. Mrs. Lorain Ruff read a letter received from Mrs. Ruth Stenberg, former president, who is now

living in Connecticut. It was announced that Tony Michel died and Mrs. Georgia Engelke's husband was in St. Mary's Hospital.

Birthday recognition was accorded Mesdames Little and McCauley. A Thanksgiving card was signed by all the members to be sent Miss Connie Siebert, student nurse sponsored by the club.

Dec. 19 will be a Christmas party with a gift exchange, place to be announced later, the president noted.

The meeting was adjourned and the remainder of the afternoon was spent playing cards. Prizes were awarded to Mesdames Marge O'Neill, Mildred Branding, Gladys Pape, Dorothy McCauley and Helen Wyman.

Others attending were Mesdames Louise Anderson, Edna Bickel, Jane Giese, Virginia John, Thomea Kirchoff, Bobby Rosch, Helen Todd and May Werner.

Powderlys announce birth of third child

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powderly, former Granite City residents, are announcing the birth of their third child, Brett Stephen, born Nov. 9, 1983, at St. John's Mercy Hospital, St. Louis.

The parents now reside at 12328 Santa Maria, St. Louis.

The infant weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces, at birth. He has a 6-year-old brother, Nathan, and a 4-year-old sister, Stacie.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Powderly, Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Mrs. Rita Hornberger and Fred Williams, both of Granite City.

Mr. and Mrs. Haefner announce birth of girl

Mr. and Mrs. James Christopher Haefner of Collinsville, are announcing the birth of a girl, born on Nov. 14, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville.

The infant weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces, and has been named Sarah Anne.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kavula of Granite City, and Mrs. Thelma Weber of Lebanon, Ill., and the late Howard Haefner.

Great-grandmothers include, Mrs. Anna Kavula, Granite City, and Mrs. Rose Pinkley of Lebanon.

ARTHRITIS FILM SHOWN

A film about the effects and cures of arthritis and a subsequent question-and-answer program will be shown at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, on Channel 1 of South-Western Cable T.V. The program is one of a series of shows being sponsored by the Social Service Network.

Bridal shower for Diane Kwiatkowski

Miss Diane Kwiatkowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kwiatkowski, 2564 Lynch Ave., was guest of honor at a bridal shower given at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Hostesses were Mrs. Helen DeRuntz, Mrs. Margaret Kwiatkowski, Mrs. Deborah Wallis, and Misses Mary Kafalas, Lori Fyalka and Nicole Barr.

Miss Kwiatkowski will be married to Curt Favre of Dallas, Texas, on Dec. 17, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.

After the honoree opened her gifts games were played and luncheon served to 31 guests including Mrs. Norma Kwiatkowski, mother of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. Ida Favre, mother of the groom-elect.

Old Six Mile yule dinner set Dec. 5

A Christmas potluck dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Monday, Dec. 5, at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road, for members of the Old Six Mile Historical Society, according to the president.

The program for the evening will be on "Christmas Customs in Macedonia" to be presented by Mrs. Tomea Kirchoff.

Also to speak on holidays in other lands will be Wilbert Engelke on Germany, and Mrs. Jennifer Dippel on New Zealand.

For further information those interested are to contact Mrs. Marguerite Lexow or Mrs. Georgia Engelke, the president added.

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19th Century Christmas to be exhibited at New Salem

The kind of austere Christmas, Abraham Lincoln would have known as a young man living at New Salem, will be re-created when the Department of Conservation sponsors "Christmas at New Salem," an Illinois Heritage Days event slated Dec. 3 and 4 at New Salem State Park near Petersburg, Ill.

Activities are scheduled from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day of the event. "Because of the conservative religious background of the villagers and the economic restraints of the time, Christmas at New Salem bore little resemblance to the commercialized celebration of today," said Phyllis Eubanks, Conservation Department special event coordinator.

There were no Christmas trees at New Salem in the 1830s, no decorations, no festive lights. The tough, fundamentalist villagers had little time or inclination to participate in holiday frivolities. Christmas was just another day, with chores to be

done and little leisure time. At the most, they might have had a larger than usual meal and, perhaps, a special Christmas service at the village school, which also served as a church.

To recreate a typical New Salem Christmas, authentically garbed men, women and children will go about the daily activities that would have typified life in the first half of the 19th century. In addition, a battery of craftsmen and musicians have been invited to round out the portrayal of Christmas at the restored Illinois village from which Lincoln launched his political career.

The New Salem League, which will help to coordinate the event, is a sizeable group of Petersburg-Springfield area citizens who hold New Salem especially dear. League members submit to extensive training not only to learn authentic period crafts, but also to prepare them for answering questions and meeting the public. During the summer, New

Salem volunteers man the reconstructed cabins in the New Salem Village and demonstrate such chores as spinning, the making of lye soap and brewing logs. During New Salem Christmas, most of the village's 24 cabins will be open to the public.

Costumed women, playing the role of housewife and mother, will demonstrate open-hearth cooking in many of the cabins, preparing stews, ham and beans, cornbread, baked apples and apple dumplings.

"A slightly more bountiful meal may have been one of the few concessions New Salem villagers made to the season," Mrs. Eubanks said. "A woman may have had two or three ovens on the hearth instead of one. Still, the holiday meal probably didn't involve anything more festive than a pot of venison stew."

Because of the volume of people who attend New Salem Christmas, samples of the hearth-cooked meals will not be offered. However,

visitors can get a handful of popcorn freshly popped on the hearth and drenched with freshly churned butter at the Rutledge Tavern, and wash it down with a cup of hot mulled cider. The tavern was not a tipping house in the 19th Century, but a kind of hotel that boarded travelers and served meals.

In addition to cooking, authentically garbed women will demonstrate wool spinning, flax spinning, natural dyeing of fibers with roots and walnut husks, quilting and other chores that might have been part of the pioneer woman's typical Christmas Day.

A few leisure time arts, such as the making of corn husk dolls, will also be demonstrated.

A number of men, dressed as their pioneer forebears, will demonstrate the skills and crafts that have occupied their Christmas as well. Demonstrated in the cabins will be the arts of blacksmithing, woodworking,

leather shoe making, barrel making, broom making, chair caning and the art of patiently mixing and rolling pills for medicinal use.

"The accent is on authenticity throughout the event," Mrs. Eubanks said. "We want visitors to have a real empathy for what it was like in New Salem on Christmas Day in the 1830s."

The few concessions to Christmas that may have been observed in Lincoln's day will be portrayed. Carolers will stroll through the village streets and period music will be performed by musicians playing fiddles, dulcimers and other instruments. At the Rutledge Tavern, which will be a center of activity during the event, costumed women will entertain with antebellum and dulcimer music.

In New Salem's restored one-room school, a costumed school teacher will give youngsters a taste of frontier education. Young visitors will be encouraged to behave as their 19th Century counterparts

might have, as the "school marm" sternly brings home the fundamentals of "readin', ritin' and 'rithmetic."

Free wagon rides through the village will be offered and, if there is sufficient snow, visitors will have an opportunity to take a turn in a horse-drawn sleigh.

A root cellar near the Rutledge Tavern will be stocked with garden vegetables and opened for public inspection. The village museum will be open both days and costumed women there will demonstrate the art of quilting.

Visitors looking for unique Christmas gifts can take advantage of the fact that many of the craft items produced during New Salem Christmas will be offered for sale by the individual craftsmen. Proceeds from the sale of the hand-made brooms, corn husk dolls, baskets, rugs, lye soap, candles and other items produced in the village by New Salem League members will benefit the village and the volunteer activities.

GC home burglary leads to 7-year prison term

For a May 7 residential burglary, Joe Perez, 21, of 820 Lee Ave., Madison, has been sentenced to serve in an Illinois prison for seven and a half years.

Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick presided at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville.

The charge was filed May 9 by the state's attorney and Perez pleaded guilty Sept. 7. Granite City police handled the investigation.

He was captured while trying to leave a residence in the 2700 block of State Street.

A 12-year-old girl reported being in an upstairs room and hearing the doorbell ringing persistently. Later, she heard noises being made in the basement, where a dryer vent was found to have been kicked out of a window.

The girl had been cautioned to keep all doors locked while her mother was at a grocery store. After hearing the bell, she looked through a peephole and saw a man standing outside.

At that point, she crouched in a corner of the living room and saw the man peering through a window.

Upon hearing the crash of the dryer vent being broken, she ran to a neighbor's home, closing the door behind her, and the neighbor called police.

Police were given a key to enter the dwelling and an officer saw a man run through the living room. The policeman drew his gun and ordered the intruder to halt.

Another officer stationed at the front of the house saw the suspect trying to leave, and the capture took place on the front porch. When the man was searched, items of jewelry were located.

Authorities impounded a vehicle parked on 27th Street near Madison Avenue.

FINED \$500 AND PLACED ON 2-YEAR PROBATION

Tony Ford, 22, of 1049 Douglas St., Venice, has been fined \$500 plus \$50 special costs and has been placed on probation for two years by Circuit Judge Philip Rarick.

Ford was charged Aug. 8 with a theft of more than \$300 value and pleaded guilty Oct. 11.

AUTOMOBILE IS STOLEN

Elizabeth Murray, 4049 Kathy Drive, Pontoon Beach, reported a Brown 1974 Toyota car was stolen from the parking at K-Mart Store sometime during the weekend. The car is owned by Randy Pyles of Granite City, a friend of Miss Murray, according to police reports.



SPEECH FINALISTS. The Granite City High School individual events team was the only Southern Illinois high school represented at Charleston last weekend. Pictured above are the local winners of the event. Bryce Moore (far left) was a tournament champion in radio speaking and Bart Lane (middle) placed second in original comedy. Karen Fuller (front) and Richard Skubish (far right) were tournament champions in dramatic duet acting. The speech team is coached by Ron Pennell.

New Fun-N-Fitness program underway

The Tri-City Area YMCA has developed an entirely new program, supervised by Natalie Busor. This program is the Fun-N-Fitness pro-

gram designed for youths ages 5 through 11. Fun-N-Fitness provides healthful game activities from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Parents will be expected to pick up their children at the "Y" by 6 p.m.

The cost for the program is \$2 a day for YMCA members and \$3 a day for others. Participants must sign up for at least two days per week.

The after-school program will be offered each day school is in session throughout the school year. Participants should register at least two days in advance.

This program was designed with working mothers in mind, but non-working mothers, as well, can take advantage of this program, knowing that their children are having fun and are well supervised.

Transportation will be furnished by the YMCA to pick the children up from school only. Parents are reminded to pick their children up by 6 p.m.

Youths who do not require transportation from school pay \$1 less per day.

For further information, parents may contact the YMCA at 876-7200.

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Arbitration on GM transmissions, lifters

The Federal Trade Commission and General Motors Corp. have negotiated a settlement of a 1980 complaint by entering into a mutually agreeable consent order.

Under this order, the nation's Better Business Bureaus have been assigned the job of administering arbitration proceedings for consumer complaints that cannot be settled in mediation. "This is a responsibility which we do not take lightly and which we are well prepared to handle," a BBB spokesman said this week.

While the order gives GM 60 days to get ready for handling consumer complaints, the bureaus will begin processing the complaints at once. "This should give us a good test period to improve our case handling efficiency before the official compliance date," the spokesman added.

The BBB's role is to provide mediation and, if necessary, arbitration of disputes between GM and its customers. The order is expected to have a major impact on the BBB case load, and it requires special procedures for handling complaints about the three components identified in the order:

1. The 200 automatic transmissions used in a number of rear-wheel drive cars and trucks, beginning with 1976 models and including those manufactured by GM through April 26 of this year.
2. Camshafts or lifters in 305 and 350 cubic inch displacement (CID) gasoline engines produced through April 26, 1983, in plants operated by GM's Oldsmobile Division since 1978.
3. Fuel injection pumps or fuel injectors in 350 CID diesel engines produced through April 26, 1983, in plants operated by GM's Oldsmobile Division since 1978.

Consumers who have registered complaints with GM about these components and whose complaints are unresolved will receive information from GM about the availability of this program whether or not they still own the vehicle that contained the component.

The same information will be sent to consumers whose complaints are forwarded to GM by the FTC or state attorney general offices. GM must also provide these consumers with fact sheets designed to help them present their case if it goes to arbitration.

A separate provision of the order also makes this mediation and arbitration program available to cur-

rent owners of GM cars or light-duty trucks who have unresolved complaints about the general powertrain (defined by the order as engine and transmission, but not including front and rear-wheel final drive components).

Under the order, GM must offer a mediation and arbitration program for the next eight years.

Consumers who have complaints they believe may fall under the order are to gather the following information: make, model and year of the vehicle, and the vehicle identification number.

In addition, they should be prepared to provide a brief description of the problem and copies of repair bills and cancelled checks, and then contact the nearest GM zone office.

If the complaint cannot be resolved by the zone and the consumer, the BBB offers arbitration.

Persons can contact the BBB serving eastern Missouri and southern Illinois concerning the FTC-GM consent order at (1-314) 241-7365. Thus far, the bureau has received 300 calls concerning the order.

The bureau also handles complaints over the telephone about home remodeling, auto repair and major department stores. These complaints can be registered by calling the bureau at 241-7365. Complaints about all other industries can be submitted in writing to the BBB at 440 N. 4th St., St. Louis 63102.

Burglar to serve 6 years in prison

A six-year state prison term was ordered this fall by Circuit Judge Philip Rarick for Craig Thomas, 19, of the 4000 block of Melrose Avenue. Thomas, charged June 28 with a residential burglary, was booked by Granite City police for the offense.

A guilty plea was submitted Sept. 13 at the Madison County Courthouse.

TWO CHARGES DISMISSED

Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick this fall dismissed two charges against Arthur Berger, 21, of 6000 Hills Ave. He had been accused July 6 of theft and July 22 of cannabis possession. The dismissals were recommended by the Madison County state's attorney.

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People often inquire as to what course of action to follow when they purchase a home which has hidden defects. An example of this is structural damage caused by termites. This is a defect which would not be visible to the naked eye. Unless the buyers have an inspection performed by a competent pest control company, problems could appear at a later date.

In a recent case, the buyers purchased a home and relied upon the real estate agent to recommend a pest control company. A termite inspection was conducted, but for some reason the company failed to detect active infestation by termites. Approximately six months after the buyers took possession, the buyers themselves discovered significant termite damage. A contractor estimated the damage to the property at \$6,000.

The question in this case is who should bear this loss. Should the \$6,000 to repair the premises be paid by the real estate broker, the real estate agent, the pest control company, the sellers, or the buyers themselves? The answer to this question depends upon the facts in a given situation. The question must be asked as to whether the defect was purposely concealed.

In this case, the pest control company provided the buyer with a one-year warranty. Therefore, the court found that the company was liable for the structural damage to the premises. The real estate agent and the real estate broker apparently had no knowledge of the termite infestation at the time the contract was signed. Thus the court found that the seller was not liable to the buyer for the damage caused by termites since there was no fraud on their part. The seller, on the other hand, presumably knew that there had been previous termite infestation since she had previously had the house treated. Nevertheless, she failed to disclose this to the buyers. The court found an intent to deceive on the part of the seller, and she was found to be liable for the damages based on fraud.

This case points up the need for buyers to carefully inspect a home prior to signing a contract. If necessary, a contractor should be hired to conduct a thorough review of the premises. In addition, a reputable pest control company should examine the premises and provide the buyer with a written warranty. This will allow the buyer to recover directly from the termite inspectors if a problem should ever develop.

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Rev. John Soule to be installed pastor of First Church of God

Formal religious ceremonies to install the Rev. John Anthony Soule as pastor of the First Church of God, 2946 Pershing Blvd., will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4, at the church.

Members from other Church of God congregations will officiate during the service to begin with the welcoming address by Jim Fox, a layman of the host church.

The Rev. Mark McCain, pastor of Ivy Heights Church of God, will lead the opening song followed by the Rev. Doyle Miller, pastor of Alton Church of God, delivering the invocation.

The Rev. Willie Stevens, minister of Lebanon Church of God, will read the scripture dedication and the Rev. Ruben Schweiger, minister of Rock Hill Church of God, will deliver the charge to the pastor and congregation.

Rev. Soule will give the response to the charge as the Rev. Don Wells, pastor of Fairview Heights Church of God, leads the response of the congregation.

A prayer of installation will be

given by the Rev. Timmie McNece, minister of Market Street Church of God.

Special music will feature Ruth Pope and Linda Soule presenting, "It's My Desire," and "The Highest Praise."

Guest speaker for the religious event will be the Rev. George Newton, Executive Secretary, State of Illinois Church of God.

Congregational singing will then be led by Rev. McCain and the Rev. Ken Love, pastor of Meadowbrook Church of God, will offer the benediction.

Immediately after the ceremonial refreshments will be served in the church fellowship hall.

Rev. Soule and his wife, Linda, are residing at 4054 Kathy Drive with their two daughters, Kimberly, eight, and Jennifer who is seven years old. He assumed his pastoral duties at the local church on Nov. 6.

Born and reared in Gilton, Ohio, Rev. Soule is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. (Joana) Soule, 5589 County Road 21, Helena, Ohio. His father is



REV. JOHN SOULE

a retired employee of Ford Motor Co.

Rev. Soule attended Warner Southern College from 1979 until 1983 in Lake Wales, Fla., where he

received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Pastoral Ministries.

Related activities of the minister include Evangelism Explosion, associate pastor responsibilities for the summer of 1980, Lafayette, Ind., First Church of God, an evangelistic tour during this past summer in Alabama, Tennessee, Indiana and Ohio.

Also, the minister was a member of the Apostles Club at Warner Southern College where he participated in various preaching opportunities.

Rev. Soule will be the seventh pastor of the church which was initially organized March 12, 1961, with the assistance of area Church of God ministers and chairmen.

The First Church of God was a dream of a group of local residents interested in starting a congregation of the Church of God in Granite City, and arranged to meet at the Washington Park Church of God with the Rev. Arno Niewelt, pastor of First Church in St. Louis, as presiding chairman.

A first step toward their goal was

to elect a chairman of a committee to search for a meeting place and although this took some time they eventually found available halls or met in the homes of individuals until a church was erected.

To help the congregation, Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell offered to donate a lot next to their home to build a church and on Aug. 19, 1961, a groundbreaking service was held with Rev. Houchell, pastor of Meadowbrook Church, as principal speaker.

Rev. Houchell continued to help the small membership and in the fall of the year the Rev. and Mrs. Lewis (Carol) Kujawski, graduates of Anderson College, accepted the challenge of coming to Granite City to serve the church.

The following January the first service was held in the new building with approximately 26 in attendance. An active Missionary Society, Men's Fellowship and Youth Group were organized and formed a strong nucleus for the new congregation. Baseball and basketball teams were also formed and as the church

prospered they bought a parsonage on Sutton Avenue in 1965.

Rev. Kujawski resigned in the summer of 1966 and succeeding ministers included the Rev. and Mrs. Merlin Mosher, 1967-1969; Rev. and Mrs. George Williamson, 1969-1970; Rev. and Mrs. Mayfield, 1971-1974; Rev. and Mrs. Miller, 1975-1981; and in September 1981, the Rev. and Mrs. Jim Fox agreed to serve the church as interim pastors.

Through the years there were many improvements made and major decisions concerning the property. A mortgage was paid in full and a new front on the church was installed. The entrance was changed to the side of the building with a covered carport, creating a vestibule where the nursery formerly was located.

Also the front of the church was bricked, a lighted cross added and stained windows as well as landscaping of the front lawn. Additional renovations were made to the interior area and at the present time plans to remodel the kitchen and classrooms are underway.

Church Activities

Appreciation Day Sunday for the Rev. and Mrs. Branon

An open house and appreciation day will be held for the Rev. and Mrs. W. T. (Jack) Branon on Sunday, Dec. 4, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Baptist Center, 620 Engineer Road, Mitchell.

Rev. Branon, Director of Missions of Madison County Baptist Association, will retire Dec. 31, to take medical retirement. He has been unable to work since Oct. 1, 1982, after suffering a heart attack. In April he was granted a complete leave of absence. June was designated as "Jack Branon Month" with a love offering contributed by individuals from the churches affiliated with Madison County Baptist Association.

Rev. Branon has served as director of missions since 1978. He and his wife, Ann, will retire to Farmington, Mo.



REV. JACK BRANON

Christmas season begins Sunday at First Assembly of God Church

The Christmas season will open at the First Assembly of God Church, 24th Street and Grand Avenue, at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4, with a program performed by the children of the congregation.

"Christmas Through the Eyes of a Child" is the subject of the presentation to be performed by the preschool and elementary divisions of the Sunday School, to be followed by musical performances of "The Very First Christmas Gift" and "A Miracle Happened One Christmas."

Two special services will be held on Dec. 11 beginning with the 10:30 a.m. service featuring the Rev. Richard Dortch, Illinois District Superintendent of the Assemblies of God, and newly appointed executive director and senior vice-president of

the PTL broadcasting network. At 6:30 p.m. the youth department will share their Christmas presentation, "Christmas Is Giving" with the congregation.

Other events at the church relative to the holiday season includes the Happy Day Child Care videotape program on Dec. 15 to begin at 4 p.m. in the church sanctuary. Theme for this year's event is "Bib Set Version of the Nutcracker Suite."

The Music Department under the direction of Miss Becky Frost will present the Christmas musical entitled, "He Started The Whole World Singing" at 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 18.

Christmas weekend is the highlight of the season with an open house Christmas Eve communion

St. Joseph's celebrates Thanksgiving

A Thanksgiving Day celebration was conducted for St. Joseph's, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine classes.

An account of the first Thanksgiving Day of the Pilgrims and Indians was given, along with a brief history of Thanksgiving Day from 1621 to the present.

Instructors emphasized the religious theme of the day by stressing that Thanksgiving was a time to

give thanks to God for his blessings and to share his gifts with others.

A cornucopia, a horn of plenty signifying the bountiful harvest of crops, and a banner were displayed in front of the altar at St. Joseph's Church. Children were encouraged to attend mass on Thanksgiving and deposit food items in the cornucopia to share with others.

Refreshments were provided by teachers of the students. Substitute teachers served the refreshments.

MRS. MICHELS HOSTS

THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mrs. Joe Michels of Granite City, entertained guests during the Thanksgiving holiday including her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Gruber of Keokuk, Iowa, who spent a week visiting in this area.

Others present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Uram of Granite City and Mike Uram of Carbondale, a grandson of the hosts.

Local service couple announces fifth child

Sergeant First Class and Mrs. Richard (Peggy) Hull of Granite City, are announcing the birth of their fifth child, a girl, on Nov. 28 at Scott Air Force Base Hospital.

The new arrival weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces, and has been named Erin Elizabeth. She had a brother Tony who is 11 years old and three sisters, Laurie, eight, Ricki, five, and Sara age two.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Stanley (Nina) Hull and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn (Ann) Whittington, all of Granite City, and great-grandmothers are, Mrs. Pearl Nicholas of Alton, Mo., and Mrs. Meda Whittington of Johnston, Kan.

Homer Huber presents devotional lesson

A devotional lesson entitled, "One Day at a Time" was presented by Homer Huber at the monthly meeting of the Harmony Class of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, last week.

The group met in Wesley Hall of the church for the monthly meeting opened with prayer by Jamie Hamrick, Cleveland Cox, president, presided as reports were given by committee chairmen. He also announced the annual Christmas party will be held on Sunday, Dec. 11.

Following the meeting refreshments of cakes, ice cream and a beverage was served to 35 members. Hosts included Bessie Milton, Clara Soliroff, Alice Cruse, Leona Cartwright and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers.

Central Baptist Church to show 'Cult Exlosion' film

The award winning film "Cult Explosion" will be shown at Central Baptist Church, 3940 Highway 111, Sunday, Dec. 4, at 4 p.m. The presentation is a fast-moving, hard-hitting, unique approach to cults, and it is informative and challenging for people of all backgrounds.

Former leading cultists reveal their behind-the-scenes knowledge of cult activities and practices, according to the Rev. Wayne Musilica, pastor.

Walter Martin explains that there is a counterfeit gospel, a counterfeit Jesus and a counterfeit holy spirit, and the former Guru, Rabi Maharaj, gives the Hindu connection to the numerous cults, the minister added.

The film is one of the features of the fall Sunday school drive at the church. Pastor Musilica invites everyone to attend.

Church of God plans craft and bake sale

The annual craft and bake sale, sponsored by The Church of God of Prophecy, 1732 Rhodes St., Madison, will take place on Friday and Saturday in the church basement.

Area residents and members of the congregation are invited to visit the craft displays and enjoy the fresh baked pies, cakes, rolls and other pantry items, according to the chairman.

There also will be a white elephant sale featuring used but good knick-knacks for the home.

Hours on Friday will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., the chairman added.

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Health and church will be topic of minister's meet

"How do pastors stay fit physically, emotionally and spiritually?" and how does this affect the health of the congregation will be subject of discussion at a meeting of the Quad-Cities Ministerial Association set for noon on Monday at Pachel Hall at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Understanding the total health of the pastor and its relationship to the health of the church will be the theme of the guest speaker, the Rev. Don F. Pierson, spokesman for the group added.

The members will also elect officers for the forthcoming year and

discuss ways of coordinating the delivery of Christmas baskets in the Quad-City area, according to the Rev. Louis Frick, president of the association.

"We will also discuss possible pulp exchange and workshops for pastors," Rev. Frick added.

"The Quad-Cities Ministerial Association provided an opportunity for interaction and the sharing of common concerns. This is a time to become acquainted with a wide variety of clergy persons and the needs and resources of the community which makes for a stronger ministry," Rev. Pierson said.

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On campus

Concert Chorale director prepares for 'Messiah'

By PETE SIMPSON

Leo and Van Camp is a stickler for detail. This quality in the director of the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville Community Choral Society is coming very much to the fore lately. He is preparing for joint performance of Handel's "Messiah" by the Society and the University Concert Chorale, to be accompanied by the University Chamber Orchestra under Conductor Robert Schieber.

"The title isn't 'The Messiah,' as many people seem to think," emphasized Van Camp with the assertiveness that characterizes everything he does in bringing good choral music to life for his students, members of the SIUE faculty and staff and interested citizens in the area served by the University.

THE PERFORMANCE is scheduled for the Edwardsville High School Auditorium on Sunday, Dec. 4, at 8:15 p.m. Admission is \$2 for adults, \$1 for students and senior citizens; tickets are available at the door or from any of the participants. Van Camp is not concerned for detail for its own sake, of course. The hard work he expends on his own, and expects from his singers, pays off in excellence of performance. This was displayed dramatically last spring, when the European tour of the University Concert Chorale climaxed with a

third-place prize in the Llangoollen Eisteddfod in Wales. The all-student group was competing against choirs of older singers who had been together for years.

Each year starts afresh for Van Camp. He sends out a call to students for the Concert Chorale and to the community at large for the University Choral Society. THE CURRENT president of the Choral Society is Marion Strohmman, an art teacher in Wood River with an M.S. in music from SIUE. "I've been in the choral society since 1959, when it had another name," she notes. Of Van Camp, she says, "I

wouldn't still be here after more than 20 years if I didn't like him. He has so much energy. He is always trying to get the best from everyone, and he does. He combines tremendous enthusiasm with a positive attitude, plus an excellent knowledge of music.

"In rehearsals he offers a relaxed but very businesslike atmosphere. There aren't any breaks because he feels we need every minute of time. It takes two to three hours to produce four or five minutes of good music. In the rehearsals he makes us go over intonation, pronunciation, right length of note, and volume, so it will sound perfect."

VAN CAMP'S ATTITUDE is clearly contagious. Debbie Engelsdorfer, senior music major in vocal performance from Edwardsville, adds: "I like performing in choral mainly because of the pieces selected for us. 'I feel 'Messiah' is a very important work. It's a standard oratorio for educational purposes, of course; but people get a special feeling when they sing it. It should be rewarding for those who sing and those who listen to it."

That special feeling is what Van Camp hopes to convey to those who attend the performance at Edwardsville High School.

Schermer elected BAC board chairman

Avery Schermer was unanimously elected the new chairman of the Belleville Area College Board of Trustees at the new Board's first meeting Nov. 15. "I can't think of anyone I'd rather hand this to," said outgoing Chairwoman Patricia Bartoskas as she handed the gavel to Schermer. "Good luck."

"I'm following in some good footsteps," Schermer said. "If I can do as well, I'll be happy."

THE MEETING was the first for the new board after the Nov. 8 election which incumbents Patricia Bartoskas and Robert Dintelmann

won. A special meeting of the old board was held earlier that evening to officially accept the election results.

The old board was then officially adjourned. Immediately following the adjournment, Bartoskas and Dintelmann renewed their oaths of office and the new board was convened to address reorganization of the board.

Other officers elected by the new board at the meeting were: Wayne Reynolds as vice-chairman, Thomas Alvey as attorney, James Hines as treasurer, Bob Dintelmann as Illinois Community College Trustees Association delegate and Kenneth Fish as his alternate, and Kathy Rowold as secretary.

SCHERMER was first appointed

to the board in 1979 following the resignation of Robert Harris. He was then elected to a five-year term in 1980.

Schermer, 61, founded Schermer Super Markets in Madison, Ill. A lifelong resident of the Granite City area, Schermer has been active in several community organizations, including the Lions, Urban League, Chamber of Commerce, and Associated Retailers. He also served on the Tri-City Regional Port Authority by appointment of former Gov. Dan Walker.

Before appointment to the BAC Board of Trustees, Schermer also had served on the board of Trustees at McKendree College in Lebanon. Schermer and his wife, Betty, reside in Granite City.



THE HOLIDAYS BEGIN. Down Keyser, a sophomore from Edwardsville, places an ornament on the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville (SIUE) Christmas tree in the Goshen Lounge of the University Center. The public tree decorating festivities began at SIUE Tuesday.

Season tickets available for ensemble productions

Season tickets are available for the three winter and spring theater productions of Unity Ensemble, the theater company of the Katherine Dunham Center for the Performing Arts.

"I Got The Music In Me," a tribute to black entertainers, will be staged Dec. 15 to 18 at the East St. Louis Development Corporation (ESLIDEC) Community Theater, 3706 Cassville Ave.

"MORNING, NOON AND NIGHT" combines fantasy, comedy and horror in a story of a greedy woman and the distance she will go to get what she wants. The production is scheduled Feb. 16 to 19 at the ESLIDEC Community Theater.

"Who Will Roll Us Away The Stone" is a new musical drama based on the final days leading to the crucifixion of Jesus Christ. The pro-

duction is scheduled to be presented April 21 to 24 at the ESLIDEC Community Theater.

Tickets for individual productions are \$4. Season tickets to all three productions are \$9. All productions are supported in part by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council.

ALL PRODUCTIONS will start at 8 o'clock on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. A matinee starting at 2:30 p.m. will be presented on Sundays.

The Katherine Dunham Center for the Performing Arts is based at the East St. Louis Center of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

For additional information concerning tickets and theater productions, interested persons may call the SIUE East St. Louis Center at 271-3000, extension 58 or 74.

Jazz Lab Band presents benefit concert on Dec. 5

On Monday, Dec. 5, the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville department of music and the student chapter of the National Association of Jazz Educators will present a jazz benefit concert, featuring the Jazz Lab Band, the Concert Jazz Band, and special guest artist, Dan Haerle. The concert will feature music from the "big band" libraries of Count Basie and Gerry Mulligan, as well as original compositions by faculty and students.

Haerle was an instructor at the former San Kenton clinics, has frequently collaborated with Jamey Aebersold on improvisation clinics, has authored such books for keyboard as "The Jazz Language," "Jazz-Rock Voicings for the Keyboard," and "Scales for Jazz Improvisation," and has composed and arranged many pieces for jazz band and ensemble.

HAERLE will conduct an informal afternoon clinic on such topics as combo rehearsal techniques, jazz keyboard theory and performance, electronics in music, and jazz improvisation, and he will perform with various SIUE students and faculty at the evening concert. Both clinic and concert are scheduled in the Communications Building theater at 4:30 p.m. and 8:15 p.m., respectively.

Admission to the concert will be \$2 for students and senior citizens and \$3 for general admission. All proceeds from the concert will be used to provide scholarship assistance to SIUE music students. The clinic will be provided free as a public service by the National Association of Jazz Educators.

Non-credit music classes offered

The Office of Continuing Education at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer several non-credit courses in guitar and piano instruction during the winter quarter.

The schedule of classes, times, and dates when they begin include: Guitar for Kids, Saturdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Jan. 7; Guitar I - Section II, Tuesday, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Jan. 17; Piano for Adults - Beginners, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m., Jan. 18; Advanced Guitar, Thursdays, 7:45 p.m., Jan. 19; Guitar I - Section I, Saturdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Jan. 21.

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On campus briefs

Granite City Center

MICROCOMPUTER STUDENTS from Granite City Center (GCC) of Belleville Area College participated in a "Brainbusting" contest at Lewis and Clark Junior College on Nov. 18. Don Davinroy, instructor at GCC, felt that his team did as well as could be expected, considering they only had two weeks notice to prepare.

Team members included Teri Gill, Karen Bailer, Jeff Bailer and Elaine Wilson. Hal Elliott, administrative assistant at GCC, presented the team.

AREA DEALERS will demonstrate various small business microcomputers and their applications, including disk drives and printers, at a Microcomputer Fair from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 3, at Granite City Center. The public is being invited and there will be no admission charge.

For more information, interested persons may contact Don Davinroy at 931-0600.

THE GCC SPANISH CLUB will sponsor a Christmas party from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, at the student union. The public is being invited. Professor Rosalinda Mariles asks that interested parties make reservations by calling her at 931-0600.

SIU at Edwardsville

THE CENTER FOR MANAGEMENT STUDIES at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer a seminar in the St. Louis area for people interested in learning more about project management. The two-day seminar is scheduled December 6 and 7 at the King's Inn located at 9600 Natural Bridge Road. Sessions will meet from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. each day.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting James F. Miller, Jr., at the SIUE Center for Management Studies, by calling 1-692-2668.

THE MARX BROTHERS film, "A Night at the Opera," will be shown Dec. 5 to 8 at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. The free video show is sponsored by the Student Program Board (SPB) and will be shown in the video lounge on the second floor of the University Center. Showtimes are Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m. and Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30 a.m.

An SPB spokesperson said the Marx Brothers considered this to be their best film. She said the stateroom sequence may possibly be the funniest five minutes in screen history. The brothers poked fun at grand opera and at the wealthy dowager, Margaret Dumont, in particular.

ELLEN NORE will speak at the Focus Series at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, in the Mississippi-Illinois Room of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Nore, assistant professor of historical studies at SIUE, will discuss changes in immigration to the United States and responses to those changes.

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Gov. Thompson plans conference for small businesses

Governor James R. Thompson recently announced that his Small Business Advisory Commission will hold a statewide planning conference to develop an Illinois economic growth plan for small businesses.

"The conference, modeled after the 1980 White House Conference on Small Business, will tap the creative resources within the private sector to provide innovative recommendations for improving the business climate and strengthening small businesses," Thompson said.

The May 1984 conference will be preceded by a series of meetings throughout Illinois to give all sectors of the economy — labor, education, big and small business, as well as legislators and community leaders — an opportunity to offer recommendations and ideas.

Thompson said Lieutenant Governor

George Ryan will be chairman of the Illinois Conference on Small Business. Susan J. Winer, vice-chairman of the Governor's Small Business Advisory Commission (SBAC) and president of RWA Communications Inc. and Statometrics Inc. will be co-chairman.

Two others who will be sharing responsibility for events leading to the May 1984 conference will be Michael T. Woelfler, director of the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs, and David P. Ransburg, the SBAC chairman.

Ransburg is president of L.R. Nelson Corporation, a Peoria firm, and has worked closely with DCCA to improve the climate for small business in Illinois.

Ryan noted that strong lines of communication between government and the small business sector are critical to the economy of the

state. "Since small business accounts for well over half the employment in Illinois, lawmakers and rulemakers must know what is on the minds of small business owners."

Ryan said the first step is to make sure the true concerns of small business are identified. "To accomplish this, we are asking trade and business associations, among others, to submit position papers or to testify at either of two preliminary hearings set for next month," he said. The first meeting will be Dec. 13 in Springfield.

"We want the broadest possible participation at these sessions, including labor, professionals and educators," Ryan said. "The input of all these sectors is important because the economy of the state works only when there is a cooperative effort based on a common objective."

Having received direction at these meetings, Woelfler said, the SBAC will follow up with a series of eight regional meetings between March 5 and March 16 next year.

"We hope to accomplish a number of things at these public hearings," Woelfler said. "These meetings will be chaired by local legislators, and they will be attempting to narrow the issues to be discussed at the statewide conference in May. In addition, delegates to the May conference will be selected at that time."

Plans call for delegates to be appointed by Thompson, Ryan, members of the U.S. House and Senate, and members of the Illinois General Assembly. The regional conference participants also will select delegates from among their members.

Final conference recommendations will be presented to the govern-

nor, legislators and the public.

Woelfler said the conference is a joint effort of the private sector and DCCA, with the commission providing half the necessary funds. "By offering our assistance where it's appropriate but allowing the private

sector to take the lead in this project, we can do everyone the most good," Woelfler said. "Ultimately, efforts such as these will be reflected in expanded job opportunities, which is the goal we all share."

Manufacturing likely to remain big job source

Contrary to some popular reports, manufacturing industries will still be an important source of new jobs during the next decade, according to new projections published by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Manufacturing led by such industries — as expected to account for almost one new job in six between 1982 and 1995, although employment in industries such as steel and autos will probably not return to pre-recession levels.

Despite the strength of manufacturing, service-producing industries will continue to generate most of the new jobs in the country, just as they have in the past.

Strong growth in employment is projected in such industries as medical care, business services and professional services.

The BLS prepared projections of industry and occupational employment every two years by analyzing the changing nature of the economy and the factors causing these changes.

The bureau indicates that — although employment projections, by their nature, are imprecise — projections can help indicate the changes that may occur in tomorrow's job market.

BLS used three different sets of assumptions regarding factors such as fiscal and monetary policy and energy prices to arrive at three different pictures of the economy in 1995.

The three scenarios are intended to provide a range of possibilities within which the economy is likely to perform.

In all the alternatives, labor force growth is expected to slow throughout the 1982-95 period. In the late 1970s, about three million people a year were entering the labor force; by the early 1990s, the number of entrants is projected to drop to 1.3 million.

Changes in the composition of the labor force will also be shrinking, reflecting in part the aging of the baby-boom generation and a subsequent decline in birthrates.

Women, blacks and other minority groups and people of prime working age (25 to 54) are expected to account for a larger share of the total labor force in 1995 than they do today, while young workers will actually decline in number.

Blacks and members of other minority groups are projected to ac-

count for at least one in four of the new entrants to the labor force between 1982 and 1995 — an increase from the roughly one-in-six share during the 1970s.

The decline in the number of young workers represents a major change in trends from the 1960s and 1970s when this was the fastest growing group in the labor force. One result of the decline is that employers — including the armed forces, the single largest employer of young men — may have increasing difficulties finding young workers.

Real gross national product (GNP) in the 1985 economy is projected to be almost half again as large as it is today, even if growth in the next decade only matches the sluggish economy of the past 10 years.

The rate of growth of real GNP ranges between 2.9 and 3.9 percent per year from 1982 to 1990 in the three alternatives, slowing in each case to 2.5 to 3 percent growth per year in the early 1990s.

Employment in such an economy would be 23 to 28 million higher than it is now.

Robust demand for cars, home computers, other consumer electronics products, telephones and telephone services is projected.

Demand for medicines, medical sundries, and health services is also projected to show rapid growth.

Growth of particular occupations, depends on overall economic development and the growth of the industries where those occupations are concentrated as well as the effects of technology. Growth can be viewed in two ways — rate and absolute numbers.

The five occupations expected to grow at the fastest rate are computer service technician, legal assistant, computer systems analyst, computer programmer and computer operator. A longer list would show more occupations from the medical, financial, and business services industries.

A very different list emerges when growth is viewed in terms of

numbers of new jobs. Just 40 occupations are expected to account for about half of all new jobs between now and 1995.

Leading the list are building custodian, cashier, secretary, general office clerk and sales clerk. Kindergarten and elementary school teacher appears on the list of occupations accounting for the most growth for the first time in many years. The increase in the school-age population is expected to require half a million additional teachers by 1995.

The other occupations on the list tend to be very large ones that are not easily simplified by technology,

such as truck driver and waiter and waitress.

Technology is expected to have a significant impact on many occupations, however, slowing the growth of some and stimulating others.

For example, increased use of word processing equipment will slow the growth of typists. And the introduction of industrial robots will affect the employment of welders, production painters and material moving occupations.

But expansion of high-technology industries will spur the growth of scientists, engineers and technicians, as well as computer specialists.

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ENR will sponsor workshops for deaf, hearing impaired

A new program to provide information on home energy conservation to the deaf and hearing impaired has been launched by the state energy agency, the Illinois Department of Energy and Natural Resources (ENR).

"Those Illinois citizens who are deaf or whose hearing is impaired will have access to the valuable information we have been providing to other energy consumers regarding the efficient use of energy," said Michael B. Witte, ENR director.

"The Illinois Department of Energy and Natural Resources held its first workshop on energy conservation for the hearing impaired on Nov. 9 in Quincy," Witte said. "That workshop drew 21 people, and one of the participants said he represented 95 percent of the adult hearing-impaired population of Quincy who have their own homes and would benefit from such a workshop."

At the session, ENR personnel who have undergone training in sign language and other techniques for communicating with the hearing impaired explained the basics of home energy conservation and distributed written materials that provided additional details.

"Many of the 700,000 hearing-impaired and 100,000 deaf citizens of Illinois will benefit from learning about energy conservation," Witte said. "We will be offering workshops

like the one presented in Quincy to citizens throughout the state.

"Wherever possible, energy conservation workshops for the hearing impaired will be presented as part of ENR's ongoing Community Energy Management Planning Assistance (CEMPA) programs," Witte noted.

The CEMPA programs are intensive campaigns that bring information on energy efficiency to homeowners, businesses, public institutions and local governments in communities across Illinois.

4-MONTH JAIL SENTENCE ASSESSED IN THEFT CASE

Dale Campbell, 262 Rhodes St., Madison, has been sentenced to spend four months in jail for a petty theft occurring Nov. 3, 1982. The charge was amended from an allegation of theft from a person. The case was filed March 3, 1983, and he pleaded guilty Sept. 1. Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill presided.

TWO YEARS IN PRISON ON FORGERY CASE IN MADISON

On two Madison forgery charges that were filed May 31, Larry Cekander, 35, Cottage Hills, was sentenced this fall to serve a total of two years in an Illinois prison. Pleas of guilty were submitted Oct. 11 to Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill.



A GIFT FROM SANTA. Santa Claus gives a candy cane to one of the several hundred children at the First National Bank in Madison during the weekend. Santa arrived at the Madison bank via helicopter and handed out candy to all of the children. He was greeted earlier in the day in Granite City by about 1,500 children and their parents. (Press-Record Photo)

Winter storms can cause damage and death

Severe winter storms produce more total damage in Illinois than any other form of short-term severe weather events including tornadoes, lightning and hail, says the Illinois State Water Survey, a division of the Department of Energy and Natural Resources (ENR).

The survey has been reviewing its studies of winter storms and their effect on the state in anticipation of Winter Storm Preparedness Week, held annually Nov. 27 to Dec. 3.

"Even though we had a very mild winter last year, Illinois experienced four severe winter storms," said Michael Witte, ENR director.

"While this amount is much less than during the winter of 1981-82 when there were 18 storms, it does indicate that, even in mild winters, it pays to be prepared." Based on long-term records, an average of five severe winter storms occur in Illinois each winter. However, from the winter of 1977-78 the annual average has been 11 storms per winter.

A severe winter storm in Illinois is defined as one that produces six or more inches of snow in 48 hours or less somewhere in the state, or a storm producing damaging ice or glass over at least 5,000 square miles. A storm with less snow or ice but with high winds or extreme cold also can be classified as severe if it produces significant damages or deaths.

Snowstorms produce damages to vehicles from accidents caused by slick roads and poor visibility. The weight of excessive snow can damage roofs of buildings.

Heavy snow combined with high winds causes stoppages or serious delays in all transportation systems, and these in turn affect personal travel, business activities and deliveries of goods and services, including food and medical care.

A major cause of death during and after heavy snowstorms is heart attacks from the exertion of shoveling snow. However, during major winter storms, deaths also occur from being trapped in isolated vehicles, from freezing by exposure without adequate protective clothing, and from automobile accidents.

Witte said the greatest damages often result from ice, especially in Central Illinois, which has the distinction of being the nation's primary area for freezing rain.

The heavy accumulation of ice resulting from such a storm can pull down power and communication lines, topple radio and TV towers and paralyze the state's transportation systems. The impacts of ice storms are especially felt in urban areas, Witte said.

The last major ice storm in Illinois struck the central and northern portions of the state on March 24 and 25, 1978, producing more than \$50 million in damages. There was only one ice storm last winter, on January 21 and 22. General glazing was accompanied by some heavy snow in Central Illinois. The largest severe winter storm of the 1982-83 season occurred on March 20 and 21, when 6 to 9 inches of snow fell on Central and Northern Illinois.

Informational material about how to cope with severe winter storms may be obtained from the Illinois State Water Survey, Post Office Box 5059, Station A, Champaign, Ill. 61820, or from the local Emergency Services and Disaster Agency Office.

8-year prison term on child pornography

William Wood (Woods), 29, of the 4500 block of Vine Blvd. was sentenced this fall to eight years in a state prison for child pornography and aggravated indecent liberties with a child.

(There are many persons with similar names in this region. The one referred to in this article is a Vine Blvd. resident.)

Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill presided in the court deliberations at the Madison County Courthouse, accepting guilty pleas.

Offenses occurring in 1982 were the basis of six charges filed May 17, 1983, by the Illinois Department of Criminal Investigation.

Two charges of aggravated conduct were dismissed Sept. 7, 1983, by O'Neill in approving dismissal motions by the state's attorney. Guilty pleas to four other charges (two counts each of child pornography and aggravated indecent liberties with a child) were heard the same day.

The charges related that he forced sexual relations on an eight-year-old girl during Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1982, and also forced her to perform another sexual act.

DCI Agent Randy Rushing said the man was taken into custody in May at his home after the investigation indicated law violations had occurred.

5-year prison term ordered on burglary

A Granite City burglary occurring July 10 was the basis of a five-year Illinois state prison term ordered this fall for Anthony Jackson.

Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick presided at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville.

The charge against Jackson was filed July 12 and he pleaded guilty Sept. 12.

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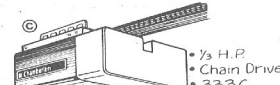


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National Hospice Organization conducts annual meeting

The annual meeting and symposium of the National Hospice Organization, held recently in Minneapolis, Minn., focused on re-examining the hospice movement, as well as refining the skills needed by hospice administrators and caregivers. Major workshop themes dealt with pain relief, bereavement, reimbursement and legislative concerns, ethical issues and management strategies.

Hospice is a health care delivery system which affirms life and regards dying as a normal process. It neither hastens nor postpones

death, but provides services to help dying persons and their families live as fully and comfortably as possible. Also featured before the meeting were seven seminars covering intensive study in specialized areas such as pain and comfort, children and death, how to start a hospice, principles of hospice care for nursing home caregivers, managing the operating hospice, bereavement support and hospice Medicare certification.

Hospice is a rapidly growing international movement which began in 1967 in London. The first United States hospice program opened in

1974. More than 1,200 hospice programs now are operating around the country. Hospice of Madison County, a home care program with offices at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, has provided hospice care to residents of Madison County since October 1979.

The National Hospice Organization (NHO), a non-profit organization, was established in 1978 to promote and maintain quality care for the terminally ill and their families through its services to hospice providers.

During the convention, NHO officials and members learned that publication of final regulations for

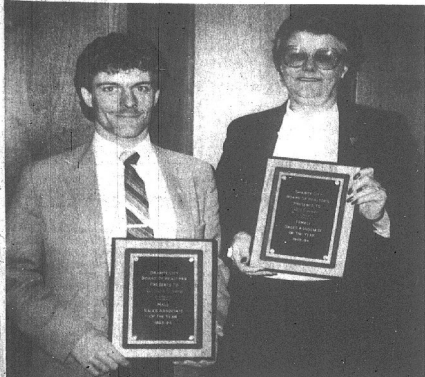
the new Medicare Hospice benefit (effective Nov. 1, 1983), is being delayed by the Office of Management and Budget, in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of the delay is to adjust downward some of the proposed reimbursement rates. The original rates, already low, are being reduced approximately 20 percent due to "new manipulation of the data" from 26 demonstration projects across the country. This same data had been used to set the original rates.

Before this current reduction, many hospice programs had decided

they could not provide quality care at the proposed rates, and would not seek Medicare certification. Hospice of Madison County's Board of Directors currently is studying the benefit and its requirements to determine whether or not to participate in the reimbursement. "Our primary commitment is to continue providing quality hospice care for the patients and families we serve," said Nina

Millett, program director. "If regulatory and financial constraints will not interfere with quality care, I expect the board of directors will decide in favor of the benefit." Hospice is asking persons interested in stopping cuts to the program, to contact senators and representatives in Washington, D.C., to urge their support in restoring rates to their previous levels.



MOST COOPERATIVE Realtors in Granite City show the plaques they received as salesman and saleswoman of the year for the Granite City Board of Realtors. They are William Elmore, left, who is with Century 21 and has been here only seven months, and Flo Leiner of Abram's Realty. They were selected in voting among members of the realtors' group.

(Press-Record Photo)

Business/Finance

Central Banc System will merge with Farmers and Merchants Bank

In a move designed to provide broader services to their respective customers, and to combine their financial strength, Central Banc System, Inc., parent company of Granite City Trust and Savings Bank, has entered into an agreement with Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Carlinville to provide for the merger of Farmers and Merchants with a subsidiary of Central.

Under the terms of the agreement, the bank resulting from the merger will be operated under the name of Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Carlinville at the bank's current location, with the bank's present management. Farmers and Merchants' shareholders will receive \$20 per share in cash (if they own 50 or fewer Farmers and Merchants shares) or one-half of a share of Central (if they own 51 or more of Farmers and Merchants shares).

Consummation of the merger, which was unanimously approved

by the Directors of Farmers and Merchants and of Central, is contingent, among other things, upon obtaining required regulatory approvals (including approval by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System) and upon approval by the holders of two-thirds of the shares of Farmers and Merchants.

Farmers and Merchants is a national bank with banking facilities in Carlinville, Ill. Central, a bank-holding company headquartered in Granite City, is also awaiting regulatory approval for the acquisition of the First Bank of Marine in Marine, Ill.

HOME CONTROL OF TV IS TOPIC OF SEMINAR FRIDAY

Janet Burnett, University of Illinois Extension home economist, will teach a local leader session on "Television: What Can You Do?" tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. at the Farm Bureau auditorium, 900 Hillsboro Ave., Edwardsville. She will discuss home control of television, controlling TV programming, federal regulation, and action by consumers.

The seminar is planned as a training meeting for 60 Homemakers Extension Association lay teachers but anyone interested may attend. The local leaders will repeat the information in a one-hour program for their HBA units in January.

BOGUS \$20 BILL IS FOUND

A counterfeit \$20 bill was discovered in a stack of genuine currency Monday at the Granite City Steel Credit Union.

Disabled vets must renew free licenses

Disabled veterans must renew their free hunting and fishing licenses each year, cautions Andrew Gitchoff, commander of Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Quod-City Chapter 52. The new rule became effective this year.

Free hunting and fishing affidavits will be issued to any veteran certified by the Veterans Administration to be at least 10 percent disabled with a service-connected disability or in receipt of a total disability veteran's pension.

"Some veterans may believe that the affidavit previously issued to them is still valid. This is not true," Gitchoff said.

Dave Ketchum, an employee of the Department of Veterans Affairs is at the Disabled American Veterans' Hall, 1417 Nineteenth St., from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each Tuesday to assist any eligible veteran in obtaining the new hunting and fishing affidavit.

Larry Lockhart reported that Eldon Curtright has been released from the Veterans Administration (VA) hospital.

Lockhart also stated that all those receiving VA pensions or parents' dependency and indemnity compensation must file an annual questionnaire by Dec. 31. Those failing to meet the deadline will have their benefits terminated.

The local DAV chapter approved a contribution to the Salvation Army Tree of Lights campaign and to the Granite City High School Band program.

Chapter 52 membership is within 10 of its 1982 membership count of 391, according to Joseph Heffley. He expects the group to exceed that total this year. Heffley plans to attend a membership seminar to learn about recruitment.

Cable TV firm announces 'Toys for Tots' campaign

South-Western Cable TV has announced that it will once again participate in "Toys for Tots." Free installation of cable television service will be given in exchange for each toy valued at \$5 or more which is contributed to the "Toys for Tots" Program.

"Toys for Tots" is sponsored nationwide by the U.S. Marine Corps. Last year, South-Western Cable TV donated more than 600 toys, all of

which were distributed on the Illinois side of the river.

Those wishing to participate must call the local office at 877-8743 by 5 p.m. Friday, Dec. 16, to insure delivery of toys to the Marines in time for distribution before Christmas.

MSD TO ELECT BOARD OFFICERS ON DEC. 5

Members of the Metro East Sanitary District will hold a special reorganization meeting at 4:15 p.m. Monday, Dec. 5, to elect officers of the board. Currently, Walter (Shag) Greathouse is president of the board.

Other officer to be selected will be the board vice president, clerk, attorney and auditor. According to Helen Christich, chief clerk, a reorganizational meeting is held every year on the first Monday in December.

Last week, Board Member Dave Berfield of Granite City was reappointed by Madison County Board Chairman Nelson Hagauer to a five-year term. Another member of the board will not come up for reappointment until a year from now.

Mrs. Claussen hosts card club

Mrs. Mary Lou Claussen entertained the Butterfly Card Club in her home, Tuesday night, as members accorded honors to Mrs. Katie Hommert and Mrs. Juanita Rosenberg, on their birthdays.

Those winning prizes in the games were Mrs. Irene Willis, Mrs. Hommert, Mrs. Edith Ryan who also won honors, and Mrs. Lorraine McElroy. Others present were Mesdames Nell Talley, Harriet Hoff and Thelma Schmidt. Mrs. Hazel Rollins will entertain the group at a Christmas party in her home, it was announced.

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ARRESTED AS DISORDERLY

Police charged Robert L. Meyer, 24, Carbondale, with disorderly conduct after loud threats were voiced to a man residing in the 2900 block of Victory Drive this week.

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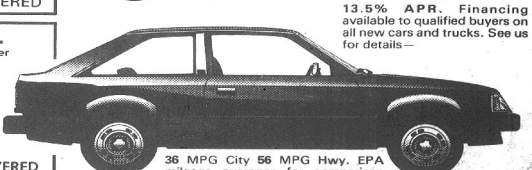
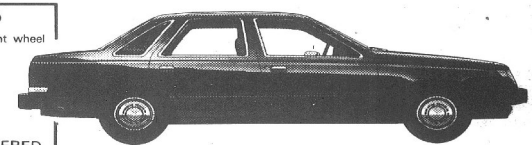
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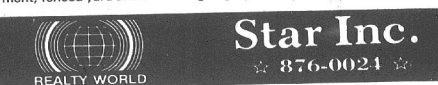


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BIG COUNTRY KITCHEN with a new floor and adjacent utility room amid this three bedroom ranch on a large lot. New exterior and closet doors, new soffits, new interior paint, central air, plaster walls, patio, and attached garage. GRCA4, \$45,900.

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23 ACRES IN GRANITE CITY: ... zoned residential. Call for particulars. (GCR12)

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3-BEDROOM RANCH with full basement, large fenced, large lake, large barn with stalls. Additional acreage available. Ask for Kathy, 618-654-9888. 1121

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EDWARDSVILLE: One mile west of town on Hwy. 143. 1 1/2-story brick on 2.8 acres, zoned commercial. Central air, above ground pool. Immediate occupancy. \$49,900. Call 1-866-369-1121

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Tavern For Sale
One of the best money makers in Madison County. Will trade for rental property or contract for deed.
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VETERANS: No down payment and no closing costs. Two and three bedroom homes, some with basement and/or garages. Call 877-1900, Abrams Realty 1121

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1138 sq. foot brick office building on corner lot with brick rental house next door. 2773 and 2775 Madison Ave. Good terms available.

1ST GRANITE CITY SAVINGS
452-3700

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION: Suburban country north of Granite City. 3-bedroom, 1 1/2-bath, 2-car attached garage, full basement, two patios, pool, new central air, new wood plus gas furnace, free winter supply of fuel, new cedar siding maintenance free, immaculate, ready to move in to. Owner financing. Mid \$40's. Call 618-877-5140. 1125

APARTMENTS: Modern brick duplexes. Ideal investment. Call for details. Make offer.

SPLIT FLOOR: Three bedrooms, dining and living room, two car garage. \$68,900.

SPANISH DESIGNED home with fireplace, family room, setting on an acre, over 2,000 sq. ft. \$69,900.

FOUR BEDROOM brick ranch, 2 1/2 baths, two fireplaces, family and dining room, acre of ground. \$79,900.

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877-4737 or 831-6524

NEW HOME, great bug. 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, two baths, heat pump, fireplace, patio and deck. \$74,900. Call 877-8800. Harrison Hoffman, call 667-9941. 1128

THREE NEWLY constructed homes, three bedrooms, close to interstate. Price \$69,900 to \$72,900. H-422, H-423, Century 21 Harrison Hoffman, call 667-9941. 1128

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Price reduced on this new, modern brick ranch-type dwelling at **3352 COLGATE**. Lueders Realtor, 877-8388

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1837 DELMAR: Over 4,000 sq. ft. retail space, 2nd floor 3,000 sq. ft. Ideal for small apartments, basement and garage. fenced yard. Call 877-8800. 1121

FOR SALE
Red Crown Drive-In BARREL LOCK, STOCK & BARREL. Priced to Sell. Call 877-8800. 1121

FAMILY STYLE restaurant located in Madison on Main Street. Good investment opportunity. Call Bob Barton Realty, 931-6200. 1121

1400 STATE ST.: Will exchange, what is your offer? Investment Realty Service. Call 877-7507. 130700

FOR SALE: Tavern, owner retiring. Building and equipment. No phone information, see Glitchoff Agency. 31171

FOR SALE or lease: Convenience store in prime location. Call 931-1105. 3123

Mobile Homes for Sale
FOR SALE or rent with option to buy. 12x65, carpeted throughout, stove, refrigerator, central air, must see to appreciate. Call 787-6988. 5825

CASH PAID for used mobile homes or trailers, any age, carpeted throughout, stove, refrigerator, central air, must see to appreciate. Call 787-6988. 5825

MODERN MOBILE home lots for rent, electric or natural gas heating, city water and sewer, \$85 per month. Call 874-7900. 1121

12x55 CHAMPION MOBILE home, two bedrooms, air conditioned, located at Holiday Mobile Home Park. Immediate sale imminent, must sacrifice, \$2,880. Call 239-5099. 5121

78 DUKE: 14x70, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 6/4 skirting, refrigerator, electric range, washer, dryer, fully carpeted, draperies & shades, built-in, \$15,000. Call 881-4273. 5125

TAKE OVER payments. 1979, 14x56, 2 B.R. Buddy trailer. Set-up, unpacked & air cond. Give me \$650 & it's all yours. Call 931-4556. 5121

12x60-ft., new carpet, C/A, furnished. Only interested parties need inquire. **877-7012**

SELL OR RENT: 2708 Harding. Mobile home, two bedrooms, in residential area. Call 345-7400. 5121

1970 FESTIVAL: Furnished, three bedrooms, two baths, washer, dryer, excellent condition. Must see to appreciate. \$10,000 or make offer. Call 931-5808. 5121

1470 2-BEDROOM 2-bath, with central air, stove, refrigerator, garbage disposal, washer and dryer hookup, utility shed with electric, attached screened in porch area. Must see to appreciate. Call 931-4354. 5125

67 CRESTLINE: Two bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, very good condition. Call 876-7662 or 877-7267. 5123

84 COMMODORE: 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, free delivery and set-up. Only 10% down, less \$185 per month. Rosewood Mobile Homes, Hwy. 140 Cottage Hills, Ill. Call 1-608-402-0015. 5121

73 LIBERTY CUSTOM: Deluxe, three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, new carpet, moving must sell immediately. \$2,750 or best offer. Call 618-654-9888. 5121

LIQUIDATING SALE: Over 30 used homes. Ten, twelve and fourteen wide available. Double wide. Financing and delivery available also. Call (618) 259-1581 or 258-0202. 5121

HOUSES for Rent
HOUSES and apts. for rent. Call 877-1100. Abrams Realty. 67261

THREE ROOMS and bath, references. Call before 6 p.m., 877-5386. 612

FOR RENT
28' x 38' HEATED GARAGE
With 1 or 2 Bedroom Duplex Will Rent Together Or Separately. **876-0091**

TWO BEDROOMS, living room, dining room, kitchen, stove with self cleaning oven, frost-free refrigerator, wall to wall carpeting, central air, basement and garage, fenced yard. Call 931-6688 after 4 p.m. references, lease and deposit. 6125

Cards of Thanks

WE WISH to express sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness, sympathy, prayers, good and floral offerings in our recent bereavement of our dear dad, BERT STRAIN, Special Thanks to Rev. Dale Edwards, organist, soloist, pallbearers and members of First Assembly of God Church and Davis Mortuary. We will always be grateful to all who by their comrades for the love and care you gave dad. -Elaine E. Strain, -Ralph E. Strain, 31 121

WE WISH to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings, received from our many friends, in our sad bereavement in the loss of our beloved mother, Mrs. E. J. Strain, who passed away on December 1, 1983, at the age of 89 years. We miss you so much, we miss you just the same today as we did when you lived. You left us a memory no one can take, we miss you from our home, and we miss you one can fill. If we could see you one again and just hear your voice. Your little girl, who was not a baby no more, she will soon be a little mother. Billy she is just what you wanted her to be. We love you and miss you. Dad and Mom. 32 121

IN LOVING memory of our son, BILLY L. MORGAN, Dec. 3, 1971. Billy, 12 years has come and gone since you left us. God only knows why you had to go so young, we miss you just the same today as we did when you lived. You left us a memory no one can take, we miss you from our home, and we miss you one can fill. If we could see you one again and just hear your voice. Your little girl, who was not a baby no more, she will soon be a little mother. Billy she is just what you wanted her to be. We love you and miss you. Dad and Mom. 32 121

IN LOVING memory of WM. C. VANDEVER who passed away Dec. 1, 1983. Luke fallen leaves, time passes by, but love and memories never die. Thoughts and memories go back to happy days, but life moves on and memories stay. Wife, Son, Daughters, Missed in-law and Grandchildren in-law and Grandchildren. 32 121

IN MEMORY OF LORIE E. WORTHEN SR. Dec. 1, 1979. Our family and friends have been broken, a link gone from our chain, but though we've parted for awhile, we know we'll meet again. Some day we hope to meet you, some day, we know that when we shall meet again. We were torn from our embrace, we shall listen to their voices, and behind their faces, we shall see your face. Sunshine passes, shadows fall, love's remembrance outlasts all. Sadly missed by wife, Family. 32 121

IN THE CIRCUIT Court, Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County, Illinois, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT E. WEBER, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sec. 9-3 of the Probate Act of the State of Illinois that Roberta Ida Weber died on September 6, 1983, and that a Petition for Summary Administration has been filed and said Petition shall be presented to the Presiding Judge of the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit of Madison County, Illinois, Probate Division, in the Court House in Edwardsville, Illinois on December 12, 1983 at 9:30 A.M. or as soon thereafter as the Petition may be heard.

Fred Martin Weber, Petitioner

Edward C. Fitzgibbon, Jr., Luaders, Robertson and Konzen

P.O. Box 725, Edwardsville, Illinois 62025-0725

No. 91 33 11 23; 12 1

ASSUMED NAME

PUBLICATION NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that on November 22, 1983, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Madison County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of all of the persons owning, conducting and transacting the business known as L. SERVICE, located at 3225

Rodger, Granite City, IL.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1983.

Evelyn M. Bowles, County Clerk

No. 33 12 18 15

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 8th day of December, and on Friday, the 9th day of December, 1983, the Board of School Trustees of Madison County, Illinois, will sell at public auction, on the premises the following described territory at the date and time specified.

Thursday, December 8: 9:30 a.m. Johnson; 11:00 a.m. Nameoki; 1:30 p.m. Lake. Friday, December 9: 9:30 a.m. Logan; 11:00 a.m. Washington. INDIVIDUALLY DESCRIBED as follows:

Date: Friday, December 9. Time: 9:30 a.m.

1. Emerson School, 20th and Benton Street, Granite City, Madison County, Illinois.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 in Block 2, North of 20th Street, according to the plat thereof, duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Madison County, Illinois, in Plat Book 5, pages 55 and 56, together with that part of the vacated alley adjoining said lots more particularly described as: The Southeastern half of a 15 foot vacated alley lying Northwest of and adjacent to said Lot 1 to 9 both inclusive, and the Northwest quarter of the Southeastern half of Lot 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 in Block 2, North of 20th Street, Lot 15 in said Block 2 in Granite City, Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: C-4 Central Business District.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 9:30 a.m.

2. Johnson School, 4225 Old Alton Road, Granite City, Illinois.

A tract of land located in the fractional Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 3 North, Range 9 West of the Third Principal Meridian, Madison County, Illinois, more fully described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Lot 20 in "Norwood Terrace" Subdivision, as the same appears in Plat Book 25 at Page 43 of the Recorder of Madison County, Illinois; thence North along the West line of said "Norwood Terrace" Subdivision, a distance of 450.0 feet; thence East deflecting to the right with an angle of 89 degrees 36 minutes, a distance of 1,136.14 feet to the center line of the Old Alton and St. Louis Road; thence South along the said center line deflecting to the right with an angle of 1 degree 11 minutes a distance of 108.57 feet to the center line of the South along said center line deflecting to the left with an angle of 1 degree 11 minutes a distance of 108.57 feet to the center line of the South along said center line deflecting to the left with an angle of 3 degrees 45 minutes a distance of 163.29 feet to a point on the Eastern extension of the North line of "Norwood Terrace" Subdivision; thence West along said center line and deflecting to the left with an angle of 1 degree 11 minutes a distance of 1,178.14 feet to the point of beginning. (Subject to the use by the Public to a uniform strip of land 33.0 feet wide from the entire Eastern side of the above described tract which said 33.0 foot strip of land is the West Half of the Alton and St. Louis Road as it is now surveyed and traveled this date.) in Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: R-2 Single-Family Residence.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 1:30 p.m.

3. Lake School, 3201 East 23rd Street, Granite City, Illinois.

A tract of land known as the Illinois Power Company tract, being in the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, Township 3 North, Range 9 West of the Third Principal Meridian, in the City of

Granite City, Madison County, Illinois, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the North East 23rd Street 397.14 feet West of, and 100 feet North of the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of Section 7; thence North 10 minutes East along a line parallel with and 30 feet West of measured at right angles to the West right of way line of East Side Levee and Sanitary District, a distance of 383.60 feet; thence North parallel with and 30 feet West of measured at right angles to the West line of East Side Levee and Sanitary District, a distance of 384.96 feet; thence South 88 degrees 10 minutes West a distance of 392.88 feet; thence South a distance of 760.20 feet to the North line of East Side Levee and Sanitary District, Illinois; thence North 88 degrees 10 minutes East along a line parallel with and 30 feet West of measured at right angles to the point of beginning (except that part conveyed to the City of Granite City in Book 3022 at Page 1842), in Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: R-2 Single-Family Residence.)

Date: Friday, December 9. Time: 11:00 a.m.

4. Logan School, 2400 West 23rd Street, Granite City, Illinois.

A tract of land located in the Fractional N/4 of Section 13, Township 3 North, Range 10 West of the Third Principal Meridian, Venice Township, Madison County, Illinois, more fully described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the intersection of the North line of 25th Street in the "Granite Heights" Subdivision (Plat Book 7, Page 1) in the City of Granite City, Illinois; thence North from said corner along the Northern extension of the West line of Illinois Avenue a distance of 300.0 feet; thence West, parallel with the North line of 25th Street a distance of 650.0 feet; thence South, parallel with the Northern extension of the West line of Illinois Avenue a distance of 300.0 feet to the North line of 25th Street; thence East along the North line a distance of 650.0 feet to the Point of Beginning. Containing 4.47 Acres, more or less.

(Zoned: R-3 Single-Family Residence / Home Business.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 11:00 a.m.

5. Nameoki School, 1620 Pontoon Road, Granite City, Illinois.

A tract of land in the Northeast Quarter of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 9 West of the Third Principal Meridian more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point on the South line of Pontoon Avenue 811.8 feet East and 30 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section 8; thence East from said beginning point and along the South line of Pontoon Avenue for 151.08 feet; thence South a distance of 580 feet; thence West and parallel to the South line of Pontoon Avenue for 548.56 feet to a point on the East line of Fairview Avenue; thence East along the South line of Pontoon Road, thence East along the South line of Pontoon Road for 395.5 feet to the point of beginning in Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: R-2 Single-Family Residence.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 1:30 p.m.

6. Washington School, 2600 West 20th Street, Granite City, Illinois.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 6 at Page 33, located in Southwest Quarter of Section 13, Township 3 North, Range 10 West of the Third Principal Meridian in Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: R-3 Single-Family Residence/home business.)

Inspection of grounds may be done immediately prior to the sale with bidding to begin exactly at the specified time.

The property will be sold upon the following terms:

Ten percent (10%) cash shall be paid on the day of the sale by the highest and best bidder which will be subject to approval of said Board of Education, who reserves the right to reject any and all bids. If not approved, such sale shall be void and to no effect, and down payment shall be so returned. If sale is approved, the balance is to be paid upon delivery to the purchaser of a deed of conveyance (quitclaim) and evidence of a merchantable title at the school district's expense.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1983.

Regional Board of School Trustees

Madison County, Illinois

HAROLD E. BARNETT, Ex-Officio Secretary

No. 87 33 11 23; 12 1, 5

In the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County, Illinois

DELMAR F. BARNETT, COMPANY, a corporation, Plaintiff,

NELSE K. PROVENCE, et al., Defendant(s).

No. 83-CH-285

Notice is hereby given you, Nelse K. Provence, Doris Provence, and suit entitled as above has been commenced and is pending against you, wherein plaintiff seeks to foreclose a certain mortgage on the premises described as follows, to-wit:

The Westerly 60 feet of Lot 13 in "Norwood Terrace" Subdivision, located in the S.W. 1/4 of SEC. 5, T. 3 N. R. 9 W. of the 3RD Meridian, in Madison County, Illinois, as the same is further described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the intersection of the North line of 25th Street in the "Granite Heights" Subdivision (Plat Book 7, Page 1) in the City of Granite City, Illinois; thence North from said corner along the Northern extension of the West line of Illinois Avenue a distance of 300.0 feet; thence West, parallel with the North line of 25th Street a distance of 650.0 feet; thence South, parallel with the Northern extension of the West line of Illinois Avenue a distance of 300.0 feet to the North line of 25th Street; thence East along the North line a distance of 650.0 feet to the Point of Beginning. Containing 4.47 Acres, more or less.

(Zoned: R-3 Single-Family Residence / Home Business.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 11:00 a.m.

5. Nameoki School, 1620 Pontoon Road, Granite City, Illinois.

A tract of land in the Northeast Quarter of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 9 West of the Third Principal Meridian more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point on the South line of Pontoon Avenue 811.8 feet East and 30 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section 8; thence East from said beginning point and along the South line of Pontoon Avenue for 151.08 feet; thence South a distance of 580 feet; thence West and parallel to the South line of Pontoon Avenue for 548.56 feet to a point on the East line of Fairview Avenue; thence East along the South line of Pontoon Road, thence East along the South line of Pontoon Road for 395.5 feet to the point of beginning in Madison County, Illinois.

(Zoned: R-2 Single-Family Residence.)

Date: Thursday, December 8. Time: 1:30 p.m.

6. Washington School, 2600 West 20th Street, Granite City, Illinois.

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Innovative ways to ease school budgets outlined

Small school districts face some disadvantages—but their students don't have to be the exception of the educational system. Superintendents from three small districts in Illinois offered evidence of that at a statewide meeting of school board members and administrators, last week in Chicago. The presentations on advantages

and problems of small school districts were among more than 20 panel discussions that were part of the joint annual conference of the Illinois Association of School Boards, the Illinois Association of School Administrators and the Illinois Association of School Business Officials.

For example, the 350-student Signal Hill district in Belleville manages to offer a computer education program, foreign language instruction and a pre-school program, despite having lost almost two-thirds of its state aid over the past three years.

The district does it, according to Supt. William Newell, partly by taking full advantage of the abilities and interests of staff and community members. Bilingual citizens teach the foreign language courses, and an interested teacher became the resident microcomputer expert.

The district also uses creative fund-raising, including seeking federal grants like the one that financed part of its microcomputer program.

The smallness of the district offers definite educational advantages, Newell said. Instruction can be individualized, and each student's progress through the system can be tracked and coordinated. Sharing staff is another way small districts can offer a better program, said Charles Zbrozek, superintendent of the Toulon-Lafayette

schools; districts can share teachers in traditional ways, or they can take advantage of technology and use cable or microwave television hookups.

Zbrozek described a program in Iowa that hooked up four school districts in a two-way closed-circuit TV system through which subjects ranging from Spanish to shorthand are taught.

Such an approach would allow districts to offer courses that attract few students, such as physics, on a regional basis without transporting students—and would allow sharing arrangements with junior colleges as well, it was noted.

A regional approach to such areas as computer education and gifted programs can help keep students in small districts from being shortchanged, said Ronald Yates, superintendent of the Pontiac High School District.

He believes, though, that regional programs form a "Band-aid approach," at least in secondary education, where consolidation is called for.

"It will take a responsible administration and board of education to educate the public to consider consolidation," he said, "because it's such an emotional issue."

"But I think people are only kidding themselves when they say they are offering a comprehensive high school program for a hundred students."

State Medicaid payments ruled unlawfully low

Federal District Judge Milton Shadur has ruled that the state's current Medicaid payments for hospital inpatient services to the poor are inadequate and in violation of federal law.

The Illinois Hospital Association (IHA) on behalf of its 243 hospital members had filed a motion seeking a preliminary injunction against the Illinois Public Aid Department's new payment system for inpatient services.

According to IHA's suit, the department has described its new payment system as one that adequately pays the costs of care provided at economically and efficiently operated hospitals.

However, the suit states, because state appropriations were far less than necessary to fully fund the system, the department is currently paying only 76.5 percent of what it has described as the actual cost of the system.

In the hearing on IHA's motion, Judge Shadur indicated the payment shortfall violates federal standards for Medicaid programs and ordered the state to pay hospitals the full rates IDPA has indicated are necessary to pay for inpatient services. Judge Shadur noted "the irreparable harm" such a shortfall creates for hospitals and the poor.

"Last spring in our negotiations with the executive and legislative leadership of this state, IHA sought statutory assurances that if the 1984 fiscal year Medicaid appropriations turned out to be inadequate to meet the full cost of the state's new medical assistance system, the shortfall would be paid in full in 1985," IHA president Kenneth C. Robbins said.

"IHA filed its suit against the state because those legal assurances were not forthcoming and the payment system eventually adopted by the state failed to meet federal standards."

In addition to his ruling last week on the preliminary injunction, Judge Shadur indicated preparations would begin for a trial on other points IHA is changing in its lawsuit against the state.

Those points focus on whether the department's methodologies for final payment of inpatient and outpatient services meet federal standards, and the legality of the \$500 limit on hospital payments for general assistance (GA) patients. That trial is expected to take place in early 1994.

Madison County has 34,920 veterans

Madison County has a total of 34,920 veterans, of whom 28,410 are persons who have served during a war-time period, according to the latest statistics from the Veterans' Administration.

The statistics show that 9,940 from this county served in the Vietnam Era and, of these, 8,480 had no service in Korea. There are 6,280 Korean Conflict veterans and, of these, 5,290 did not see service in World War II.

The largest group of veterans is from World War II. They number 13,310. There are still 530 veterans of

World War II in Madison County.

Since the ending of the Vietnam War, 2,140 persons from Madison County have served in the armed forces and have been discharged. There are an additional 3,880 persons who were in service between the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam Era. Others who have served in previous periods of peace-time number 480.

More than one-fourth of all Vietnam Era veterans served in the combat area during the almost 11-year war.

In Illinois, there are approximately 1,348,000 veterans of whom 1,109,000 served in time of war. There are 358,000 Vietnam Era veterans; 238,000 from the Korean Conflict veterans; 540,000 World War II veterans and 15,000 World War I veterans. There have been 66,000 Illinoisans who have been in service since the end of the Vietnam Era and 154,000 ex-servicemen who served between Vietnam and Korea. There are 19,000 others who served in different peace-time eras.

VENICE MAN FACES FIVE CHARGES AFTER ARREST

Keith Wright, 20, of 133 Lee Wright Homes, Venice, was booked on five different charges, when he was picked up by Venice police last week.

Officers noticed that a car was parked in a no-parking zone and was looking use of a fire hydrant. The vehicle had no plates on it and when the officer proceeded to turn around at the corner of Douglas Avenue and Mercedia Avenue, the vehicle drove off. The car was stopped in the 900 block of Bissell Avenue. Upon checking the driver, Keith Wright could not produce a driver's license. He was then placed under arrest and upon checking, he was found to be in the possession of a pistol and a small brown envelope with a green leafy substance inside.

Wright was charged with parking in a no parking zone, no driver's license, no firearm owner's identification card, unlawful use of weapons and unlawful possession of cannabis.

MOBILE HOME DAMAGED

A rear window of a mobile home located at 1800 rear Delmar Ave., was reported broken late last week by the resident, Kathleen Goodwin. According to the police report a cast on her arm break the window and leave in her car, but the police were unable to locate the suspect in the vicinity.

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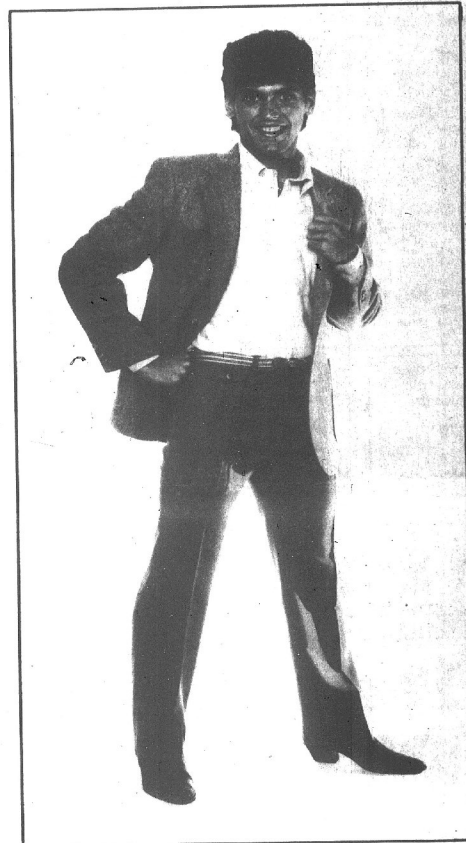
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